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TWELVE TOWN DISTRICTS.

The Births and Deaths * registered in the Dublin Registration Area and in the eleven principal provincial Urban Districts of Southern Ireland, with the annual rates per 1,000 of the population represented thereby, which, for the purposes of these Returns, is estimated at 662,256, are given in Table I. The deaths from all causes appertaining to the undermentioned areas for last week and for the past four weeks, respectively, were equal to the following annual rates per 1,000 of the population:—

Twelve Town Districts, 22·4 and 22·0; Dublin Registration Area, 27·5 and 26·4; Dublin City, 29·0 and 29·7; Cork, 20·4 and 14·8; Limerick, 12·2 and 19·0, and Waterford, 9·5 and 11·4.

The deaths* from certain epidemic diseases † registered in the 12 town districts during last week were equal to an annual rate of 1·2 per 1,000. Among the 30 deaths from all causes for Cork is one from diphtheria, and of the 9 deaths from all causes for Limerick 2 are from the same disease.

DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA.

In the Dublin Registration Area the births registered during the week amounted to 196—93 boys and 103 girls—and the deaths to 236—112 males and 124 females.

The deaths registered, omitting the deaths (numbering 11) of persons admitted into public institutions from localities outside the Area, represent an annual rate of mortality of 27·5 per 1,000 of the population, the rate for the total deaths registered in the area being 28·8.

Included in the 225 deaths appertaining to the Area are 8 from measles, one from whooping-cough, 3 from diarrhœa and enteritis of children under 2 years, and 23 from influenza. In the 3 preceding weeks deaths from measles were 11, 12, and 10; deaths from whooping-cough were 2, one, and 3; deaths from diarrhœa and enteritis of children under 2 years were 4, 7, and 4, and deaths from influenza 3, 8, and 24.

There were 39 deaths from pneumonia, comprising 19 from broncho-pneumonia, 2 from lobar pneumonia and 18 from pneumonia (type not distinguished).

Tuberculous disease caused 22 deaths (including 21 from pulmonary tuberculosis, and one from disseminated tuberculosis), as against 11, 19, and 18 from all forms of tuberculous disease in the 3 weeks preceding.

Twelve deaths were caused by cancer, 11 by organic diseases of the heart, and 29 by bronchitis.

Two accidental deaths were recorded, and there was one case of infanticide.

Among deaths of infants under one year old, one was due to measles, one to whooping-cough, one to influenza, one to disseminated tuberculosis, 4 were due to convulsions, 3 to bronchitis, 4 to broncho-pneumonia, one to pneumonia, 3 to diarrhœa and enteritis, 4 to congenital malformations, 4 to premature birth, and 3 to congenital debility.

Sixty-two of the deaths registered during the week, appertaining to the Area, were those of children under 5 years of age, 34 being infants under one year, of whom 9 were under one month old, and 62 deaths were those of persons aged 65 and upwards, of whom 46 were 70 years of age or over.

Of the 225 deaths recorded, 67 occurred in hospitals and other public institutions.

SCOTLAND.

The average death-rate for 15 principal towns of Scotland was 18·7 per 1,000 persons living, the rate for Glasgow being 22·6 and for Edinburgh 15.0.

* Exclusive of the deaths of persons admitted into public institutions from without the respective districts.
† Enteric fever, typhus, small-pox, measles, scarlet fever, whooping-cough, diphtheria, dysentery, and diarrhœal diseases.

TABLE I.—BIRTHS and DEATHS registered during the week ending Saturday, 7th January, 1922, in the DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA, in each of the under-mentioned 11 CITIES AND URBAN DISTRICTS, and in BELFAST and LONDONDERRY CITIES (exclusive of Deaths in Public Institutions of Persons admitted from other Districts), the Number of Deaths from some of the PRINCIPAL CAUSES, and the Number of Uncertified Deaths, with the Temperature and Rainfall for the week; also statistics regarding Births, Deaths and Meteorology in London, Edinburgh, and Glasgow.

TOWNS AND DISTRICTS.	POPULATION. Total (a)	Persons to an Acre.	REGISTRATION—WEEK ENDING SATURDAY, 7TH JANUARY, 1922. Annual Rate per 1,000 Persons Represented by BIRTHS.	DEATHS. From all Causes.	DEATHS. From certain Epidemic Diseases. (b)	NUMBERS REGISTERED. BIRTHS. Total Number.	DEATHS. Total Number.	Under 1 year of Age.	At 65 years and upwards.	Caused by: Enteric Fever.	Typhus.	Small-pox.	Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Whooping-cough.	Diphtheria.	Dysentery.	Influenza.	Tuberculosis. Pulmonary.	Tuberculosis. Other Forms.	Cancer.	Diseases of the Respiratory System. Pneumonia.	Diseases of the Respiratory System. Other.	Diarrhœa and Enteritis of children under 2 years of age.	Diarrhœa, 2 years of age and upwards.	Violence.	Inquest Cases.	No. of Deaths in Public Institutions.	Number of Uncertified Deaths.	METEOROLOGY. (c) WEEK ENDING 7TH JANUARY, 1922. Air Temperature. Absolute Highest.	Absolute Lowest.	Mean Maximum (A).	Mean Minimum (B).	Mean of (A) and (B).	Rainfall in Inches.
COLS.	(1)	(2)	3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)	(14)	(15)	(16)	(17)	(18)	(19)	(20)	(21)	(22)	(23)	(24)	(25)	(26)	(27)	(28)	(29)	(30)	(31)	(32)	(33)	(34)	(35)
TOTAL OF 12 TOWN DISTRICTS ...	662,256	18·9	26·0	22·4	1·2	330	285	36	80	.	.	.	8	.	1	3	.	28	30	2	17	42	41	3	.	4	9	93	7	° .	° .	° .	° .	° .	.
DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA	427,000	30·5	23·9	27·5	1·5	196	225	34	62	.	.	.	8	.	1	.	.	28	21	1	12	39	34	3	.	3	8	67	3	(d) 54·4	31·9	47·4	38·1	42·7	0·35
Urban Districts. CITY OF DUBLIN	327,000	40·0	27·1	29·0	1·8	170	182	30	49	.	.	.	7	.	1	.	.	21	15	1	10	33	28	3	.	2	6	55	2	(e) 55·3 (f) 54·6	34·1 32·4	47·3 46·8	39·5 38·4	43·4 42·6	0·24 0·31
Urban Districts. RATHMINES and RATHGAR ...	41,500	24·2	7·5	6·3	.	6	5	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	1	1	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Urban Districts. PEMBROKE ...	31,100	19·8	21·8	35·2	1·7	13	21	4	5	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	4	2	.	.	2	4	.	.	1	2	7	1	.	.	.	.	.	.
Urban Districts. BLACKROCK ...	9,900	9·1	15·8	26·3	.	3	5	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Urban Districts. KINGSTOWN ...	17,500	12·0	11·9	35·8	.	4	12	.	6	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	3	.	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	1	.	55	34	48·8	40·4	44·6	0·22
Urban Districts. CORK	76,673	28·6	32·0	20·4	0·7	47	30	2	7	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	6	1	2	3	3	.	.	1	1	14	1	56	38	49·0	43·9	46·5	0·08
Urban Districts. LIMERICK ...	38,518	16·1	47·4	12·2	2·7	35	9	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	.	.	2	.	1	.	.	.	.	6	1	.	.	.	.	.	.
Urban Districts. WATERFORD ...	27,464	19·1	22·8	9·5	.	12	5	.	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Urban Districts. GALWAY	13,255	2·5	The annual rates			5	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	52	34	49	38	43·5	0·62
Urban Districts. DUNDALK ...	13,128	9·5	represented by the			.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Urban Districts. DROGHEDA ...	12,501	8·4	numbers of births			7	3	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Urban Districts. WEXFORD ...	11,531	22·8	and deaths regis-			7	4	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	2	1	.	.	.	.	.	.
Urban Districts. SLIGO	11,163	3·8	tered for these			2	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	56	35	49	39	44	1·24
Urban Districts. KILKENNY ...	10,514	11·4	urban districts will			7	6	.	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	2	1	55	33	48·1	39·0	43·5	0·32
Urban Districts. TRALEE ...	10,300	17·4	be shown in the			6	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Urban Districts. CLONMEL	10,209	7·8	Quarterly Summary of the Weekly Returns.			6	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
BELFAST CITY	.	.	31·2	16·1	1·2	254	131	19	38	2	.	.	1	1	.	.	.	4	11	1	9	6	8	5	1	16	15	35	1	55·0	31·8	47·6	37·3	42·4	0·59
LONDONDERRY CITY ...	.	.	21·5	21·5	.	19	19	1	9	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	2	1	2	.	.	.	.	5	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
LONDON	4,531,971	—	—	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.
EDINBURGH	420,281	—	—	15·0	—	165	121	16	44	.	.	.	.	1	.	2	.	2	—	—	—	18		1	—	4	—	—	—	53·0	30·0	44·3	34·6	39·4	0·34
GLASGOW	1,034,069	—	—	22·6	—	588	450g	96	107	.	.	.	37	1	8	2	.	25	—	—	—	131		10	—	13	—	—	—	52·9	31·7	44·1	36·8	40·4	0·83

(a) According to the Census of 1911, but in the cases of the Dublin Registration Area and its component parts, the population given is that estimated to the middle of 1922. The estimate shown for London relates to the civil population in 1920. The population for each of Glasgow and Edinburgh is that according to the Census of 1921. (b) See note (†) at foot of first page. (c) The observations shown for Sligo were taken at Markree, and those for Cork at Roche's Point. (d) Observations at Ordnance Survey Office, Phœnix Park. (e) Observations by Sir John Moore, taken at Fitzwilliam Square. (f) Observations by Sir Frederick W. Moore, taken at the Botanic Gardens, Glasnevin. (g) Including 2 deaths from cerebro-spinal meningitis.

TABLE II.—Showing for the WEEK ENDED 7TH JANUARY, 1922, the number of DEATHS of Residents of the several REGISTRARS' DISTRICTS in the DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA, and in the CITY OF CORK, the annual Rate per 1,000 of the Population of the respective Districts represented thereby, and by the Deaths from the principal Epidemic Diseases†; with the mortality from some of the principal causes; also the Deaths at certain age-periods, and the number of Uncertified Deaths, *the Deaths in Public Institutions being assigned to the Districts from which the deceased were admitted.*

WEEK ENDED SATURDAY, 7TH JANUARY, 1922.

REGISTRARS' DISTRICTS, &c.	Estimated Population middle of 1922.*	Annual Rate of Mortality per 1,000 Living represented by Deaths. From all causes	From certain Epidemic Diseases†	Total Deaths.	Deaths. Under 1 year.	1 and under 2.	2 and under 5.	5 and under 15.	15 and under 25.	25 and under 45.	45 and under 65.	65 and upwards.	Caused by Enteric Fever.	Typhus.	Small-pox.	Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Whooping-cough.	Diphtheria.	Dysentery.	Influenza.	Tuberculosis. Pulmonary.	Other Forms.	Cancer.	Diseases of Respiratory System. Pneumonia.	Other.	Diarrhœa and Enteritis of Children under 2 years.	Diarrhœa, 2 years and upwards.	Violence.	Other Causes.	Inquest Cases.	In Institutions. In Hospitals, Prisons and Lunatic Asylums.	In Workhouse Hospitals.	Number of Uncertified Deaths.
Cols.	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)	(14)	(15)	(16)	(17)	(18)	(19)	(20)	(21)	(22)	(23)	(24)	(25)	(26)	(27)	(28)	(29)	(30)	(31)	(32)	(33)	(34)
DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA.																																		
Dublin City Districts. North City, No. 1, E.	31,600	36·3	3·3	22	4	1	.	.	1	6	4	6	.	.	.	2	.	.	.	.	2	3	.	.	3	4	.	.	1	7	.	3	2	1
,, 1, W.	43,300	37·3	1·2	31	6	6	2	.	1	3	8	5	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	1	11	7	.	.	.	9	1	3	5	.
,, 2	29,000	25·2	3·6	14	3	2	1	1	.	3	2	2	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	1	3	1	.	3	2	1	.	.	2	1	4	1	.
,, 3	35,900	24·7	.	17	2	1	3	1	.	2	5	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	.	.	6	.	.	.	9	.	3	3	.
Clontarf and Howth, No. 1, part of	5,800	27·0	.	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	.	.
Coolock and Drumcondra, part of	14,300	18·2	.	5	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	2	.	2	.	.
Finglas and Glasnevin, part of	11,700	31·2	.	7	2	.	.	.	.	2	1	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	4	1	1	.	.
South City, No. 1	45,300	25·3	1·2	22	1	1	.	1	3	2	5	9	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	4	2	.	4	4	1	1	.	.	6	.	3	3	.
,, 2	19,100	16·4	5·5	6	.	.	2	.	1	1	2	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	2	.
,, 3	45,600	27·4	1·1	24	6	.	2	.	.	4	5	7	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	3	.	1	4	4	1	.	.	9	2	4	3	1
,, 4	34,500	42·3	3·0	28	6	1	3	.	2	5	2	9	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	7	1	.	2	5	3	.	.	1	7	1	8	4	.
New Kilmainham	10,900	14·4	.	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	2	.	.	1	.
Urban Districts. Rathmines and Rathgar	41,500	6·3	.	5	.	.	1	.	.	.	2	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	1	1	.	.	.	1	.	2	.	.
Pembroke	31,100	35·2	1·7	21	4	2	.	.	1	3	6	5	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	4	2	.	.	2	4	.	.	1	7	2	6	1	1
Blackrock	9,900	26·3	.	5	.	.	.	.	.	4	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	.	2	.	.	.	.	1	.	2	.	.
Kingstown	17,500	35·8	.	12	.	.	.	.	1	2	3	6	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	3	.	.	1	1	.	.	.	5	.	.	1	.
Total City of Dublin	327,000	29·0	1·8	182	30	12	13	3	9	28	38	49	.	.	.	7	.	1	.	.	21	15	1	10	33	28	3	.	2	61	6	31	24	2
Total Urban Districts	100,000	22·4	0·5	43	4	2	1	.	2	9	12	13	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	7	6	.	2	6	6	.	.	1	14	2	10	2	1
Total Dublin Registration Area	427,000	27·5	1·5	225	34	14	14	3	11	37	50	62	.	.	.	8	.	1	.	.	28	21	1	12	39	34	3	.	3	75	8	41	26	3
Deaths relating to residents of localities situated outside the Registration Area (not included in above)	.	.	.	11	1	1	.	1	3	4	1	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	1	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	7	.	10	1	.
CITY OF CORK.																																		
Cork City Districts. Cork Urban, No. 1	13,455	23.3	.	6	1	.	.	.	.	2	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	.	1	.	.	1	2	1	2	.	.
,, 2	10,399	20·1	5·0	4	.	1	.	2	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	2	.	.
,, 3	9,793	10·6	.	2	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	1	.	2	.	.
,, 4	9,139	45·6	.	8	1	1	.	.	1	3	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	2	1	.	.	.	3	.	6	.	.
,, 5	6,250	16·7	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.
,, 6	11,581	18·0	.	4	.	.	.	.	3	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	.	1
,, 7	16,056	13·0	.	4	.	.	.	.	.	2	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	2	.	1	.	.
Total City of Cork	76,673	20·4	0·7	30	2	2		3		6	10	7	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	6	1	2	3	3	.	.	1	13	1	14		1

* The population given for the Urban Districts of Cork are those according to the Census of 1911 † See note (†) at foot of first page.

TABLE III.—Showing the NUMBER of CASES of INFECTIOUS DISEASES notified in the Dublin Registration Area (viz. :—the City of Dublin, and the Urban Districts of Rathmines and Rathgar, Pembroke, Blackrock and Kingstown), and in the Cities of Cork, Limerick, and Waterford, during the week ended 7th January, 1922, and each of the preceding three weeks, as furnished by the respective Sanitary Authorities. A dash (—) denotes that the disease in question is not notifiable in the District.

Cities and Urban Districts.	Week ending	Enteric Fever.	Typhus.	Pyrexia—Continued Fever.	Relapsing Fever.	Small-pox.	Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Whooping-cough.	Diphtheria (including Membranous Croup).	Erysipelas.	Puerperal Fever.	Diarrhœal Diseases.	Dysentery.	Malaria.	Trench Fever.	Acute Primary Pneumonia and Acute Influenzal Pneumonia.	Cerebro-spinal Fever.	Acute Poliomyelitis.	Encephalitis Lethargica.	Tuberculosis.	Total.
City of Dublin	Dec. 17	.	.	.	.	.	—	4	—	6	1	1	—	.	.	.	7	.	.	—	10	29
	Dec. 24	2	.	.	.	.	—	5	—	3	2	.	—	.	.	.	8	.	.	—	4	24
	Dec. 31	.	.	.	.	.	—	1	—	4	.	.	—	.	.	.	5	.	.	—	.	10
	Jan. 7	.	.	.	.	.	—	2	—	6	3	.	—	.	.	.	2	.	.	—	9	22
Rathmines & Rathgar Urban District	Dec. 17	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	1	.	.	—	.	.	.	2	.	.	—	—	3
	Dec. 24	.	.	.	.	.	—	2	—	1	2	.	—	.	.	.	1	.	.	—	—	6
	Dec. 31	.	.	.	.	.	—	1	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	1
	Jan. 7	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	2	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	2
Pembroke Urban District	Dec. 17	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	1	.	.	—	.	1
	Dec. 24	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.
	Dec. 31	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	1	.	.	—	1	4
	Jan. 7	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	1	1
Blackrock Urban District	Dec. 17	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.
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(*a*) Not including one case of Varicella.

TABLE IV.—Showing the NUMBER of CASES of the undermentioned DISEASES treated in Dublin Hospitals during the week ended Saturday, 7th January, 1922, with the number under treatment at the close of each of the last four weeks.

Diseases	No. of Cases in Hospital at close of week ended			Week ended 7th January			
	Dec. 17	Dec. 24	Dec. 31	No. admitted.	Dis-charged.	Died.	No. under treatment at close of week.
Enteric Fever, ...	12	12	13	.	2	1	10
Typhus, ...	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Small-pox, ...	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Measles, ...	27	26	22	11	7	.	26
Scarlet Fever, ...	52	42	36	8	9	1	34*
Diphtheria, ...	49	43	37	9	9	1	36
Pneumonia, ...	37	33	33	5	6	4	28

* Exclusive of 17 patients in "Beneavin," the Convalescent Home of Cork Street Fever Hospital.

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TWELVE TOWN DISTRICTS.

The Births and Deaths * registered in the Dublin Registration Area and in eleven provincial Urban Districts of the Irish Free State, with the annual rates per 1,000 of the population represented thereby, which, for the purposes of these Returns, is estimated at 662,256, are given in Table I. The deaths from all causes appertaining to the undermentioned areas for last week and for the past four weeks, respectively, were equal to the following annual rates per 1,000 of the population:—

Twelve Town Districts, 22·2 and 22·5; Dublin Registration Area, 25·5 and 27·0; Dublin City, 23·8 and 29·0; Cork, 22·4 and 17·5; Limerick, 20·3 and 18·3, and Waterford, 7·6 and 9·5.

The deaths* from certain epidemic diseases † registered in the 12 town districts during last week were equal to an annual rate of 0·8 per 1,000. Among the 6 deaths from all causes for Sligo is one from typhus and one from diarrhœa.

DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA.

In the Dublin Registration Area the births registered during the week amounted to 213—113 boys and 100 girls—and the deaths to 221—95 males and 126 females.

The deaths registered, omitting the deaths (numbering 12) of persons admitted into public institutions from localities outside the Area, represent an annual rate of mortality of 25·5 per 1,000 of the population. During the two weeks ending with Saturday last, the death-rate averaged 26.5 and was 3·9 above the mean rate for the corresponding portions of the ten years 1912-21. The rate for all deaths registered during the two weeks was 27·9 and for the corresponding period of the preceding ten years 24·0.

Included in the 209 deaths appertaining to the Area are 2 from measles, one from scarlet fever, one from whooping-cough, one from diphtheria, 3 from diarrhœa and enteritis of children under 2 years, and 28 from influenza. In the 3 preceding weeks deaths from measles were 12, 10, and 8; deaths from whooping-cough were 1, 3, and 1; deaths from diphtheria were 2, 3, and 0; deaths from diarrhœa and enteritis of children under 2 years were 7, 4, and 3, and deaths from influenza 8, 24, and 28.

There were 36 deaths from pneumonia, comprising 25 from broncho-pneumonia, 3 from lobar pneumonia and 8 from pneumonia (type not distinguished).

Tuberculous disease caused 18 deaths (including 16 from pulmonary tuberculosis, one from tuberculous meningitis, and one from disseminated tuberculosis), as against 19, 18, and 22 from all forms of tuberculous disease in the 3 weeks preceding.

Eleven deaths were caused by cancer, 11 by organic diseases of the heart, and 34 by bronchitis.

One accidental death was recorded.

Among deaths of infants under one year old, one was due to influenza, one to venereal disease 4 were due to convulsions, 5 to bronchitis, 5 to broncho-pneumonia, one to pneumonia, 3 to diarrhœa and enteritis, one to congenital malformations, 3 to premature birth, and 2 to congenital debility.

Sixty of the deaths registered during the week, appertaining to the Area, were those of children under 5 years of age, 26 being infants under one year, of whom 7 were under one month old, and 60 deaths were those of persons aged 65 and upwards, of whom 46 were 70 years of age or over.

Of the 209 deaths recorded, 82 occurred in hospitals and other public institutions.

ENGLAND AND SCOTLAND.

The mortality among civilians for the week ended 14th January, in 96 large English towns (including London in which the rate was 31·8) was equal to an average annual death rate of 22·4 per 1,000 of the estimated civil population.

The average death-rate for 16 principal towns of Scotland was 26·7 per 1,000 persons living, the rate for Glasgow being 34·9 and for Edinburgh 19·1.

* Exclusive of the deaths of persons admitted into public institutions from without the respective districts.
† Enteric fever, typhus, small-pox, measles, scarlet fever, whooping-cough, diphtheria, dysentery, and diarrhœal diseases.

TABLE I.—BIRTHS and DEATHS registered during the week ending Saturday, 14th January, 1922, in the DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA, in each of the under-mentioned 11 CITIES OR URBAN DISTRICTS, and in BELFAST and LONDONDERRY CITIES (exclusive of Deaths in Public Institutions of Persons admitted from other Districts), the Number of Deaths from some of the PRINCIPAL CAUSES, and the Number of Uncertified Deaths, with the Temperature and Rainfall for the week; also statistics regarding Births, Deaths and Meteorology in London, Edinburgh, and Glasgow.

TOWNS AND DISTRICTS.	POPULATION. Total (a)	Persons to an Acre.	REGISTRATION—WEEK ENDING SATURDAY, 14TH JANUARY, 1922. Annual Rate per 1,000 Persons Represented by BIRTHS	DEATHS. From all Causes.	DEATHS. From certain Epidemic Diseases. (b)	NUMBERS REGISTERED. BIRTHS Total Number	DEATHS. Total Number.	Under 1 year of Age.	At 65 years and upwards.	Caused by Enteric Fever.	Typhus.	Small-pox.	Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Whooping-cough.	Diphtheria.	Dysentery.	Influenza.	Tuberculosis. Pulmonary.	Other Forms.	Cancer.	Diseases of the Respiratory System. Pneumonia.	Other.	Diarrhœa and Enteritis of children under 2 years of age.	Diarrhœa, 2 years of age and upwards.	Violence.	Inquest Cases.	No. of Deaths in Public Institutions.	Number of Uncertified Deaths.	METEOROLOGY. (c) WEEK ENDING 14TH JANUARY, 1922. Air Temperature. Absolute Highest.	Absolute Lowest.	Mean Maximum (A).	Mean Minimum (B).	Mean of (A) and (B).	Rainfall in Inches.
COLS.	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)	(14)	(15)	(16)	(17)	(18)	(19)	(20)	(21)	(22)	(23)	(24)	(25)	(26)	(27)	(28)	(29)	(30)	(31)	(32)	(33)	(34)	(35)
TOTAL OF 12 TOWN DISTRICTS ...	662,256	18·9	24·2	22·2	0·8	307	282	31	78	.	1	.	2	1	1	1	.	28	27	4	14	46	45	3	1	1	3	111	5	° .	° .	° .	° .	° .	.
DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA	427,000	30·5	26·0	25·5	1·0	213	209	26	60	.	.	.	2	1	1	1	.	28	16	2	11	36	37	3	.	1	2	82	1	(d) 56·2	22·3	46·6	34·0	40·3	0·64
Urban Districts. CITY OF DUBLIN	327,000	40·0	26·5	23·8	1·1	166	149	20	44	.	.	.	2	1	1	.	.	17	14	.	9	23	30	3	.	1	2	69	1	(e) 57·2 (f) 56·8	29·9 25·8	46·1 46·2	37·4 35·6	41·7 40·9	0·42 0·67
Urban Districts. RATHMINES and RATHGAR ...	41,500	24·2	27·6	26·4	1·3	22	21	1	8	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	2	.	1	1	5	4	.	.	.	.	5	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Urban Districts. PEMBROKE ...	31,100	19·8	28·5	26·8	.	17	16	3	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	5	.	.	.	5	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Urban Districts. BLACKROCK ...	9,900	9·1	26·3	15·8	.	5	3	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Urban Districts. KINGSTOWN ...	17,500	12·0	8·9	59·6	.	3	20	2	4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	4	1	1	1	3	2	.	.	.	.	7	.	59	31	50·5	38·7	44·6	0·46
Urban Districts. CORK	76,673	28·6	15·6	22·4	.	23	33	4	11	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	5	.	2	9	5	.	.	.	.	15	2	55	32	48·9	42·3	45·6	0·83
Urban Districts. LIMERICK ...	38,518	16·1	25·7	20·3	.	19	15	1	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	2	.	.	.	.	5	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Urban Districts. WATERFORD ...	27,464	19·1	32·3	7·6	.	17	4	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.
Urban Districts. GALWAY	13,255	2·5	The annual rates represented by the numbers of births and deaths registered for these urban districts will be shown in the Quarterly Summary of the Weekly Returns.			12	7	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	7	.	54	25	51·0	33.5	42·3	0·67
Urban Districts. DUNDALK ...	13,128	9·5				4	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Urban Districts. DROGHEDA ...	12,501	8·4				5	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Urban Districts. WEXFORD ...	11,531	22·8				6	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Urban Districts. SLIGO	11,163	3·8				2	6	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	1	.	.	.	1	.	.	2	1	57	22	47	35	41	1·71
Urban Districts. KILKENNY ...	10,514	11·4				.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	56	23	47·4	33.8	40·6	0·87
Urban Districts. TRALEE ...	10,300	17·4				6	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Urban Districts. CLONMEL	10,209	7·8				.	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
BELFAST CITY	425,000	28·4	26·7	17·7	0·1	218	144	22	41	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	9	1	12	8	9	1	.	26	27	51	1	57·0	29·5	49·7	37·3	43·5	1·09
LONDONDERRY CITY ...	46,000	17·8	25.1	23·8	1·1	22	21	2	10	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	4	.	.	1	3	4	.	.	2	2	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.
LONDON	4,476,238	—	—	31·8	—	2,096	2,726	224	1011	.	.	.	26	19	6	46	.	.	140	19	129	457	417	11	3	61	162	1147	.	56	28	46·7	37·0	41·9	0·20
EDINBURGH	420,486	—	—	19·1	—	175	154	22	53	.	.	.	1	.	5	3	.	14	—	—	—	30		2	—	4	—	—	—	52·0	30·0	41 7	34·1	37·9	0·59
GLASGOW	1,037,845	—	—	34·9	—	643	694g	139	170	.	.	.	61	1	6	2	.	80	—	—	—	265		10	—	10	—	—	—	50·4	29·3	41·9	36·0	39·0	1·30

(a) According to the Census of 1911, but in the cases of the Dublin Registration Area and its component parts, the population given is that estimated to the middle of 1922. The estimate shown for London relates to the civil population in 1921. The population for Glasgow and Edinburgh is that provisionally estimated to the middle of 1922. (b) See note (†) at foot of first page. (c) The observations shown for Sligo were taken at Markree, and those for Cork at Roche's Point. (d) Observations at Ordnance Survey Office, Phœnix Park. (e) Observations by Sir John Moore, taken at Fitzwilliam Square. (f) Observations by Sir Frederick W. Moore, taken at the Botanic Gardens, Glasnevin. (g) Including one death from cerebro-spinal meningitis.

TABLE II.—Showing for the WEEK ENDED 14TH JANUARY, 1922, the number of DEATHS of Residents of the several REGISTRARS' DISTRICTS in the DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA, and in the CITY OF CORK, the annual Rate per 1,000 of the Population of the respective Districts represented thereby, and by the Deaths from the principal Epidemic Diseases†; with the mortality from some of the principal causes; also the Deaths at certain age-periods, and the number of Uncertified Deaths, *the Deaths in Public Institutions being assigned to the Districts from which the deceased were admitted.*

WEEK ENDED SATURDAY, 14TH JANUARY, 1922.

REGISTRARS' DISTRICTS, &c.	Estimated Population Middle of 1922.*	Annual Rate of Mortality per 1,000 Living represented by Deaths. From all causes	From certain Epidemic Diseases†	Total Deaths.	Under 1 year.	1 and under 2.	2 and under 5.	5 and under 15.	15 and under 25.	25 and under 45.	45 and under 65.	65 and upwards.	Enteric Fever.	Typhus.	Small-pox.	Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Whooping-cough.	Diphtheria.	Dysentery.	Influenza.	Tuberculosis. Pulmonary.	Tuberculosis. Other Forms.	Cancer.	Diseases of Respiratory System. Pneumonia.	Diseases of Respiratory System. Other.	Diarrhœa and Enteritis of Children under 2 years.	Diarrhœa, 2 years and upwards.	Violence.	Other Causes.	Inquest Cases.	In Institutions. In Hospitals, Prisons and Lunatic Asylums.	In Institutions. In Workhouse Hospitals.	Number of Uncertified Deaths.
Cols.	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)	(14)	(15)	(16)	(17)	(18)	(19)	(20)	(21)	(22)	(23)	(24)	(25)	(26)	(27)	(28)	(29)	(30)	(31)	(32)	(33)	(34)
DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA.																																		
Dublin City Districts. North City, No. 1, E.	31,600	31·4	1·7	19	1	4	.	.	1	1	4	8	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	5	1	.	1	2	4	1	.	.	5	.	4	7	.
,, 1, W.	43,300	27·7	.	23	8	1	1	.	1	1	6	5	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	1	.	.	4	6	.	.	.	10	.	7	8	.
,, 2	29,000	30·6	.	17	1	2	3	1	1	3	3	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	3	1	.	1	5	2	.	.	.	5	.	4	3	.
,, 3	35,900	16·0	.	11	1	1	1	.	2	2	3	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	2	.	1	2	1	.	.	.	4	.	2	2	.
Clontarf and Howth, No. 1, part of	5,800	27·0	.	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	2	.	.	.	.
Coolock and Drumcondra, part of	14,300	21·9	.	6	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	2	.	.	.	.	3	.	1	.	.
Finglas and Glasnevin, part of	11,700	4·5	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.
South City, No. 1	45,300	19·6	.	17	1	2	.	.	2	2	2	8	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	3	.	1	3	3	.	.	.	5	.	2	4	.
,, 2	19,100	21·8	2·7	8	.	1	1	.	.	.	5	1	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	2	.	.	1	2	1	2	4	.
,, 3	45,600	25·2	2·3	22	3	2	2	.	1	4	2	8	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	1	2	.	3	2	7	1	.	.	5	1	3	3	.
,, 4	34,500	28·7	4·5	19	3	2	1	.	.	5	6	2	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	.	1	4	.	.	2	3	1	.	.	6	.	6	5	.
New Kilmainham	10,900	14·4	.	3	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	1
Urban Districts. Rathmines and Rathgar	41,500	26·4	1·3	21	1	.	2	.	2	4	4	8	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	2	.	1	1	5	4	.	.	.	7	.	4	1	.
Pembroke	31,100	26·8	.	16	3	4	.	.	1	.	5	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	5	.	.	.	5	1	.	.	.	5	.	.	.	.
Blackrock	9,900	15·8	.	3	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	1	.	.
Kingstown	17,500	59·6	.	20	2	1	2	1	1	1	8	4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	4	1	1	1	3	2	.	.	.	8	.	6	1	.
Total City of Dublin	327,000	23·8	1·1	149	29	16	9	1	8	18	33	44	.	.	.	2	1	1	.	.	17	14	.	9	23	30	3	.	1	48	2	33	36	1
Total Urban Districts	100,000	31·3	0·5	60	6	5	4	1	5	5	18	16	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	11	2	2	2	13	7	.	.	.	22	.	11	2	.
Total Dublin Registration Area	427,000	25·5	1·0	209	26	21	13	2	13	23	51	60	.	.	.	2	1	1	1	.	28	16	2	11	36	37	3	.	1	70	2	44	38	1
Deaths relating to residents of localities situated outside the Registration Area (not included in above)	.	.	.	12	2	1	.	.	1	2	6	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	3	1	2	.	.	1	3	1	10	2	.
CITY OF CORK.																																		
Cork City Districts. Cork Urban, No. 1	13,455	23·3	.	6	.	.		1		.	3	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	3	.	4		.
,, 2	10,399	30·1	.	6	1	1		.		1	1	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	3	1	.	.	.	1	.	.		.
,, 3	9,793	31·9	.	6	1	.		2		1	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	2	1	.	.	.	2	.	4		.
,, 4	9,139	17·1	.	8	.	.		.		1	5	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	3	1	.	.	.	2	.	6		.
,, 5	6,250	16·7	.	2	.	.		1		.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	.		2
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,, 7	16,056	13·0	.	4	1	.		.		.	.	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	2	.	1		.
Total City of Cork	76,673	22·4	.	33	4	1		4		3	10	11	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	5	.	2	9	5	.	.	.	12	.	15		2

* The populations given for the Urban Districts of Cork are those according to the Census of 1911. † See note (†) at foot of first page.

TABLE III.—Showing the NUMBER of CASES of INFECTIOUS DISEASES notified in the Dublin Registration Area (viz. :—the City of Dublin, and the Urban Districts of Rathmines and Rathgar, Pembroke, Blackrock and Kingstown), and in the Cities of Cork, Limerick, and Waterford, during the week ended 14th January, 1922, and each of the preceding three weeks, as furnished by the respective Sanitary Authorities. A dash (—) denotes that the disease in question is not notifiable in the District.

Cities and Urban Districts.	Week ending	Enteric Fever.	Typhus.	Pyrexia—Continued Fever.	Relapsing Fever.	Small-pox.	Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Whooping-cough.	Diphtheria (including Membranous Croup).	Erysipelas.	Puerperal Fever.	Diarrhœal Diseases.	Dysentery.	Malaria.	Trench Fever.	Acute Primary Pneumonia and Acute Influenzal Pneumonia.	Cerebro-spinal Fever.	Acute Poliomyelitis.	Encephalitis Lethargica	Tuberculosis.	Total.
City of Dublin	Dec. 24	2	.	.	.	.	—	5	—	3	2	.	—	.	.	.	8	.	.	—	4	24
	Dec. 31	.	.	.	.	.	—	1	—	4	.	.	—	.	.	.	5	.	.	—	.	10
	Jan. 7	.	.	.	.	.	—	2	—	6	3	.	—	.	.	.	2	.	.	—	9	22
	Jan. 14	.	.	.	.	.	—	4	—	3	1	1	—	.	.	.	5	.	.	—	6	20
Rathmines & Rathgar Urban District	Dec. 24	.	.	.	.	.	—	2	—	1	2	.	—	.	.	.	1	.	.	—	—	6
	Dec. 31	.	.	.	.	.	—	1	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	1
	Jan. 7	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	2	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	2
	Jan. 14	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	.
Pembroke Urban District	Dec. 24	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.
	Dec. 31	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	1	.	.	—	1	4
	Jan. 7	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	1	1
	Jan. 14	.	.	.	.	.	5	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	5
Blackrock Urban District	Dec. 24	.	.	.	.	.	.		—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.
	Dec. 31	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.
	Jan. 7	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.
	Jan. 14	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.
Kingstown Urban District	Dec. 24	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.
	Dec. 31	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.
	Jan. 7	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.
	Jan. 14	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.
City of Cork	Dec. 24	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	15	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	—	15*a*
	Dec. 31	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	10	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	—	11
	Jan. 7	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	11	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	—	11*a*
	Jan. 14	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	—	10	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	—	11
City of Limerick	Dec. 24	.	.	.	.	.	—	2	—	4	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	6
	Dec. 31	.	.	1	.	.	—	2	—	6	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	9
	Jan. 7	.	.	.	.	.	—	1	—	2	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	3
	Jan. 14	.	.	.	.	.	—	1	—	1	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	2
City of Waterford	Dec. 24	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	.	.
	Dec. 31	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	.	.
	Jan. 7	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	.	.
	Jan. 14	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	.	.

(*a*) Not including one case of Varicella.

TABLE IV.—Showing the NUMBER of CASES of the undermentioned DISEASES treated in Dublin Hospitals during the week ended Saturday, 14th January, 1922, with the number under treatment at the close of each of the last four weeks.

Diseases	No. of Cases in Hospital at close of week ended			Week ended 14th January			
	Dec. 24	Dec. 31	Jan. 7	No. admitted.	Dis-charged.	Died.	No. under treatment at close of week.
Enteric Fever, ...	12	13	10	1	1	.	10
Typhus, ...	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Small-pox, ...	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Measles, ...	26	22	26	10	5	1	30
Scarlet Fever,..	42	36	34	10	11	.	33*
Diphtheria, ...	43	37	36	3	7	.	32
Pneumonia, ...	33	33	28	10	11	1	26

* Exclusive of 15 patients in "Beneavin," the Convalescent Home of Cork Street Fever Hospital.

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TWELVE TOWN DISTRICTS.

The Births and Deaths * registered in the Dublin Registration Area and in eleven provincial Urban Districts of the Irish Free State, with the annual rates per 1,000 of the population represented thereby, which, for the purposes of these Returns, is estimated at 662,256, are given in Table I. The deaths from all causes appertaining to the undermentioned areas for last week and for the past four weeks, respectively, were equal to the following annual rates per 1,000 of the population:—

Twelve Town Districts, 23·7 and 23·5; Dublin Registration Area, 24·5 and 27·1; Dublin City, 26·8 and 31·1; Cork, 34·0 and 23·5; Limerick, 23·0 and 19·6, and Waterford, 13·3 and 10·9.

The deaths* from certain epidemic diseases † registered in the 12 town districts during last week were equal to an annual rate of 1·1 per 1,000. Among the 50 deaths from all causes for Cork are 6 from influenza. Of the 17 deaths from all causes for Limerick there is ne from each of enteric fever and scarlet fever, and one of the 7 deaths from all causes for Waterford is from influenza.

DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA.

In the Dublin Registration Area the births registered during the week amounted to 231—138 boys and 93 girls—and the deaths to 215—106 males and 109 females.

The deaths registered, omitting the deaths (numbering 14) of persons admitted into public institutions from localities outside the Area, represent an annual rate of mortality of 24·5 per 1,000 of the population. During the three weeks ending with Saturday last, the death-rate averaged 25·8 and was 3·3 above the mean rate for the corresponding portions of the ten years 1912-21. The rate for all deaths registered during the three weeks was 27·4 and for the corresponding period of the preceding ten years 24·0.

Included in the 201 deaths appertaining to the Area are 9 from measles, 2 from diarrhœa and enteritis of children under 2 years, and 13 from influenza. In the 3 preceding weeks deaths from measles were 10, 8, and 2; deaths from diarrhœa and enteritis of children under 2 years were 4, 3, and 3, and deaths from influenza 24, 28, and 28,

There were 27 deaths from pneumonia, comprising 21 from broncho-pneumonia, one from lobar pneumonia and 5 from pneumonia (type not distinguished).

Tuberculous disease caused 28 deaths (including 20 from pulmonary tuberculosis, 5 from tuberculous meningitis, and 3 from other forms of tuberculous disease), as against 18, 22, and 18 from all forms of tuberculous disease in the 3 weeks preceding.

Nine deaths were caused by cancer, 16 by organic diseases of the heart, and 27 by bronchitis.

Seven accidental deaths was recorded.

Among deaths of infants under one year old, one was due to tuberculous meningitis, 2 to disseminated tuberculosis, one to bronchitis, 4 to broncho-pneumonia, 2 to diarrhœa and enteritis, 2 to congenital malformations, 2 to premature birth, and one to congenital debility.

Forty-six of the deaths registered during the week, appertaining to the Area, were those of children under 5 years of age, 16 being infants under one year, of whom 4 were under one month old, and 63 deaths were those of persons aged 65 and upwards, of whom 46 were 70 years of age or over.

Of the 201 deaths recorded, 71 occurred in hospitals and other public institutions.

ENGLAND AND SCOTLAND.

The mortality among civilians for the week ended 21st January, in 105 large English towns (including London in which the rate was 23·9) was equal to an average annual death rate of 23·9 per 1,000 of the estimated civil population.

The average death-rate for 16 principal towns of Scotland was 42·5 per 1,000 persons living, the rate for Glasgow being 55·6 and for Edinburgh 35·1.

* Exclusive of the deaths of persons admitted into public institutions from without the respective districts.
† Enteric fever, typhus, small-pox, measles, scarlet fever, whooping-cough, diphtheria, dysentery, and diarrhœal diseases.

TABLE I.—BIRTHS and DEATHS registered during the week ending Saturday, 21st January, 1922, in the DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA, in each of the under-mentioned 11 CITIES OR URBAN DISTRICTS, and in BELFAST and LONDONDERRY CITIES (exclusive of Deaths in Public Institutions of Persons admitted from other Districts), the Number of Deaths from some of the PRINCIPAL CAUSES, and the Number of Uncertified Deaths, with the Temperature and Rainfall for the week; also statistics regarding Births, Deaths and Meteorology in London, Edinburgh, and Glasgow.

TOWNS AND DISTRICTS.	POPULATION. Total (a)	Persons to an Acre.	REGISTRATION—WEEK ENDING SATURDAY, 21ST JANUARY, 1922. Annual Rate per 1,000 Persons Represented by BIRTHS.	DEATHS. From all Causes.	DEATHS. From certain Epidemic Diseases. (b)	NUMBERS REGISTERED. BIRTHS. Total Number.	DEATHS. Total Number.	Under 1 year of Age.	At 65 years and upwards.	Caused by: Enteric Fever.	Typhus.	Small-pox.	Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Whooping-cough.	Diphtheria.	Dysentery.	Influenza.	Tuberculosis. Pulmonary.	Other Forms.	Cancer.	Diseases of the Respiratory System. Pneumonia.	Other.	Diarrhœa and Enteritis of children under 2 years of age.	Diarrhœa, 2 years of age and upwards.	Violence.	Inquest Cases.	No. of Deaths in Public Institutions.	Number of Uncertified Deaths.	METEOROLOGY. (c) WEEK ENDING 21ST JANUARY, 1922. Air Temperature. Absolute Highest.	Absolute Lowest.	Mean Maximum (A).	Mean Minimum (B).	Mean of (A) and (B).	Rainfall in Inches.
COLS.	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)	(14)	(15)	(16)	(17)	(18)	(19)	(20)	(21)	(22)	(23)	(24)	(25)	(26)	(27)	(28)	(29)	(30)	(31)	(32)	(33)	(34)	(35)
TOTAL OF 12 TOWN DISTRICTS ...	662,256	18·9	25·7	23·7	1·1	327	301	25	97	1	.	.	9	1	.	.	.	20	25	11	14	37	42	2	1	9	8	107	13	.	.	.	.	.	.
DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA	427,000	30·5	28·2	24·5	1·5	231	201	16	63	.	.	.	9	.	.	.	.	13	20	8	9	27	29	2	1	7	7	71	2	(d) 52·3	22·8	43·7	28·9	36·3	0·51
Urban Districts. CITY OF DUBLIN	327,000	40·0	34·4	26·8	1·6	216	168	12	51	.	.	.	9	.	.	.	.	12	19	6	6	23	26	.	1	7	7	63	1	(e) 51·8 (f) 52·0	29·1 25·2	42·5 44·0	32·6 30·5	37·6 37·3	0·56 0·44
RATHMINES and RATHGAR ...	41,500	24·2	7·5	12·6	.	6	10	.	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
PEMBROKE ...	31,100	19·8	8·4	20·1	3·4	5	12	2	5	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	1	2	2	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
BLACKROCK ...	9,900	9·1	10·5	26·3	.	2	5	2	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
KINGSTOWN ...	17,500	12·0	6·0	17·9	.	2	6	.	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	1	.	.	.	.	3	1	50	28	43·4	32·5	38·0	0·93
Urban Districts. CORK	76,673	28·6	17·7	34·0	.	26	50	3	16	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	6	3	1	4	7	7	.	.	.	.	22	3	51	31	45·3	35·9	40·6	1·85
LIMERICK ...	38,518	16·1	31·1	23·0	2·7	23	17	2	2	1	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	1	3	.	.	.	.	5	2	.	.	.	.	.	.
WATERFORD ...	27,464	19·1	19·0	13·3	.	10	7	2	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	.	1	1	.	.	1	1	2	1	.	.	.	.	.	.
GALWAY	13,255	2·5	The annual rates represented by the numbers of births and deaths registered for these urban districts will be shown in the Quarterly Summary of the Weekly Returns.			5	3	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	1	50	25	44	30	37	2·14
DUNDALK ...	13,128	9·5				8	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
DROGHEDA ...	12,501	8·4				4	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
WEXFORD ...	11,531	22·8				5	9	1	5	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	2	.	.	.	.	1	3	.	.	.	.	.	.
SLIGO	11,163	3·8				3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	50	28	42	31	36·5	1·29
KILKENNY ...	10,514	11·4				2	5	1	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	51	26	45·1	29·8	37·4	1·17
TRALEE ...	10,300	17·4				2	2	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
CLONMEL ...	10,209	7·8				8	5	.	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
BELFAST CITY	425,000	28·4	27·2	15·6	0·9	222	127	24	34	.	.	.	2	.	.	.	.	7	6	3	5	11	14	4	1	12	13	33	1	46·0	25·2	42·8	32·3	37·6	1·54
LONDONDERRY CITY ...	46,000	17·8	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
LONDON	4,476,238	—	—	28·9	—	1,963	2,481	264	896	2	.	.	44	17	72	41	.	—	147	17	111	499	354	16	3	39	136	1087	2	48	25	43·3	31·6	37·5	1·41
EDINBURGH	420,486	—	—	35·1	—	169	283	35	105	.	.	.	1	.	4	2	.	72	—	—	—	85		.	—	9	—	—	—	43·0	24·0	38·1	28·7	33·4	0·21
GLASGOW	1,037,845	—	—	55·6	—	583	1,106	223	232	1	.	.	86	4	7	8	.	202	—	—	—	455		7	—	15	—	—	—	45·0	25·1	37·7	31·5	34·6	1·13

(a) According to the Census of 1911, but in the cases of the Dublin Registration Area and its component parts, the population given is that estimated to the middle of 1922. The estimate shown for London relates to the civil population in 1921. The population for Glasgow and Edinburgh is that provisionally estimated to the middle of 1922. (b) See note (†) at foot of first page. (c) The observations shown for Sligo were taken at Markree, and those for Cork at Roche's Point. (d) Observations at Ordnance Survey Office, Phœnix Park. (e) Observations by Sir John Moore, taken at Fitzwilliam Square. (f) Observations by Sir Frederick W. Moore, taken at the Botanic Gardens, Glasnevin.

per 1,000 of the Population of the respective Districts represented thereby, and by the Deaths from the principal Epidemic Diseases†; with the mortality from some of the principal causes; also the Deaths at certain age-periods, and the number of Uncertified Deaths, *the Deaths in Public Institutions being assigned to the Districts from which the deceased were admitted.*

WEEK ENDED SATURDAY, 21st JANUARY, 1922.

REGISTRARS' DISTRICTS, &c.	Estimated Population middle of 1922.*	Annual Rate of Mortality per 1,000 Living represented by Deaths. From all causes	From certain Epidemic Diseases†	Total Deaths.	Deaths. Under 1 year.	1 and under 2.	2 and under 5.	5 and under 15.	15 and under 25.	25 and under 45.	45 and under 65.	65 and upwards.	Caused by: Enteric Fever.	Typhus.	Small-pox.	Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Whooping-cough.	Diphtheria.	Dysentery.	Influenza.	Tuberculosis. Pulmonary.	Other Forms.	Cancer.	Diseases of Respiratory System. Pneumonia.	Other.	Diarrhœa and Enteritis of Children under 2 years.	Diarrhœa, 2 years and upwards.	Violence.	Other Causes.	Inquest Cases.	In Institutions. In Hospitals, Prisons and Lunatic Asylums.	In Workhouse Hospitals.	Number of Uncertified Deaths.
Cols.	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)	(14)	(15)	(16)	(17)	(18)	(19)	(20)	(21)	(22)	(23)	(24)	(25)	(26)	(27)	(28)	(29)	(30)	(31)	(32)	(33)	34)
DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA.																																		
Dublin City Districts. North City, No. 1, E.	31,600	24·8	1·7	15	2	4	1	1	.	2	1	4	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	.	3	1	.	.	1	7	1	2	.	.
,, 1, W.	43,300	38·5	2·4	32	2	3	1	2	3	6	6	9	.	.	.	2	.	.	.	.	2	6	.	1	1	3	.	.	3	14	2	9	3	.
,, 2	29,000	43·2	.	24	4	4	3	2	3	3	1	4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	3	3	8	4	.	.	.	4	.	5	2	1
,, 3	35,900	26·1	1·5	18	1	1	1	1	.	5	4	5	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	4	3	.	.	1	8	1	3	4	.
Clontarf and Howth, No. 1, part of	5,800	9·0	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	1	.
Coolock and Drumcondra, part of	14,300	14·6	.	4	.	1	.	.	1	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	1	1	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.
Finglas and Glasnevin, part of	11,700	35·7	.	8	.	1	.	.	.	1	5	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	4	.	2	.	.
South City, No. 1	45,300	24·2	1·2	21	1	1	1	.	2	4	4	8	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	2	4	.	2	2	6	.	.	1	3	1	3	5	.
,, 2	19,100	35·5	5·5	13	2	3	.	.	1	.	3	4	.	.	.	2	.	.	.	.	2	.	1	.	2	4	.	.	.	2	1	1	6	.
,, 3	45,600	20·6	1·1	18	.	1	1	1	.	2	4	9	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	.	1	2	.	.	.	12	.	8	4	.
,, 4	34,500	19·6	3·0	13	.	.	2	.	2	1	3	5	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	2	3	1	.	.	2	.	1	1	2	1	4	.	.
New Kilmainham	10,900	4·8	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.
Urban Districts. Rathmines and Rathgar	41,500	12·6	.	10	.	.	.	2	1	1	3	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	2	.	.	.	.	.	6	.	2	1	.
Pembroke	31,100	20·1	3·4	12	2	.	.	1	.	2	2	5	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	1	2	2	.	.	5	.	1	.	.
Blackrock	9,900	26·3	.	5	2	.	.	.	.	.	2	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	3	.	1	.	.
Kingstown	17,500	17·9	.	6	.	1	.	.	.	1	1	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	1	.	.	.	3	.	1	2	1
Total City of Dublin	327,000	26·8	1·6	168	12	19	10	7	12	24	33	51	.	.	.	9	.	.	.	.	12	19	6	6	23	26	.	1	7	59	7	38	25	1
Total Urban Districts	100,000	17·2	1·0	33	4	1	.	3	1	4	8	12	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	2	3	4	3	2	.	.	17	.	5	3	1
Total Dublin Registration Area	427,000	24·5	1·5	201	16	20	10	10	13	28	41	63	.	.	.	9	.	.	.	.	13	20	8	9	27	29	2	1	7	76	7	43	28	2
Deaths relating to residents of localities situated outside the Registration Area (not included in above)	.	.	.	14	.	.	.	1	1	3	5	4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	2	.	1	3	.	.	.	.	7	.	12	2	.
CITY OF CORK.																																		
Cork City Districts. Cork Urban, No. 1	13,455	38·8	.	10	.	1		.		2	3	4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	3	.	.	.	6	.	6		1
,, 2	10,399	50·1	.	10	1	1		2		2	2	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	3	3	.	.	.	2	.	4		1
,, 3	9,793	37·3	.	7	.	.		2		.	2	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	1	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	2	.	3		.
,, 4	9,139	17·1	.	3	.	1		.		.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	1		.
,, 5	6,250	33·4	.	4	1	.		.		.	1	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	3	.	3		.
,, 6	11,581	22·5	.	5	.	.		.		3	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	1	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	1	.	1		1
,, 7	16,056	35·7	.	11	1	.		1		.	5	4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	1	.	.	.	.	8	.	4		.
Total City of Cork	76,673	34·0	.	50	3	3		5		7	16	16	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	6	3	1	4	7	7	.	.	.	22	.	22		3

* The populations given for the Urban Districts of Cork are those according to the Census of 1911. † See note (†) at foot of first page.

TABLE III.—Showing the NUMBER of CASES of INFECTIOUS DISEASES notified in the Dublin Registration Area (viz. :—the City of Dublin, and the Urban Districts of Rathmines and Rathgar, Pembroke, Blackrock and Kingstown), and in the Cities of Cork, Limerick, and Waterford, during the week ended 21st January, 1922, and each of the preceding three weeks, as furnished by the respective Sanitary Authorities. A dash (—) denotes that the disease in question is not notifiable in the District.

Cities and Urban Districts.	Week ending	Enteric Fever.	Typhus.	Pyrexia—Continued Fever.	Relapsing Fever.	Small-pox.	Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Whooping-cough.	Diphtheria (including Membranous Croup).	Erysipelas.	Puerperal Fever.	Diarrhœal Diseases.	Dysentery.	Malaria.	Trench Fever.	Acute Primary Pneumonia and Acute Influenzal Pneumonia.	Cerebro-spinal Fever.	Acute Poliomyelitis.	Encephalitis Lethargica	Tuberculosis.	Total.
City of Dublin	Dec. 31	.	.	.	.	.	—	1	—	4	.	.	—	.	.	.	5	.	.	—	.	10
	Jan. 7	.	.	.	.	.	—	2	—	6	3	.	—	.	.	.	2	.	.	—	9	22
	Jan. 14	.	.	.	.	.	—	4	—	3	1	1	—	.	.	.	5	.	.	—	6	20
	Jan. 21	.	.	.	.	.	—	5	—	3	2	.	—	.	1	.	5	.	.	—	11	27
Rathmines & Rathgar Urban District	Dec. 31	.	.	.	.	.	—	1	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	1
	Jan. 7	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	2	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	2
	Jan. 14	.	.	.	.	.	—	2	—	.	1	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	3
	Jan. 21	.	.	.	.	.	—	2	—	4	.	.	—	.	.	.	2	.	.	—	—	8
Pembroke Urban District	Dec. 31	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	1	.	.	—	1	4
	Jan. 7	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	1	1
	Jan. 14	.	.	.	.	.	5	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	5
	Jan. 21	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	1	.	.	—	.	.	.	1	.	.	—	.	4
Blackrock Urban District	Dec. 31	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.
	Jan. 7	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.
	Jan. 14	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.
	Jan. 21	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.
Kingstown Urban District	Dec. 31	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.
	Jan. 7	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.
	Jan. 14	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.
	Jan. 21	.	.	.	.	.	—	1	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	1
City of Cork	Dec. 31	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	10	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	—	11
	Jan. 7	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	11	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	—	11*a*
	Jan. 14	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	—	10	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	—	11
	Jan. 21	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	6	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	—	6*a*
City of Limerick	Dec. 31	.	.	1	.	.	—	2	—	6	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	9
	Jan. 7	.	.	.	.	.	—	1	—	2	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	3
	Jan. 14	.	.	.	.	.	—	1	—	1	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	2
	Jan. 21	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	5	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	5
City of Waterford	Dec. 31	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	.	.
	Jan. 7	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	.	.
	Jan. 14	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	.	.
	Jan. 21	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	.	.

(*a*) Not including one case of Varicella.

TABLE IV.—Showing the NUMBER of CASES of the undermentioned DISEASES treated in Dublin Hospitals during the week ended Saturday, 21st January, 1922, with the number under treatment at the close of each of the last four weeks.

Diseases	No. of Cases in Hospital at close of week ended			Week ended 21st January			
	Dec. 31	Jan. 7	Jan. 14	No. admitted.	Discharged.	Died.	No. under treatment at close of week.
Enteric Fever, ...	13	10	10	2	4	1	7
Typhus, ...	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Small-pox, ...	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Measles, ...	22	26	30	5	1	1	33
Scarlet Fever, ...	36	34	33	7	9	.	31*
Diphtheria, ...	37	36	32	7	14	.	25
Pneumonia, ...	33	28	26	4	3	.	27

* Exclusive of 14 patients in "Beneavin," the Convalescent Home of Cork Street Fever Hospital.

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TWELVE TOWN DISTRICTS.

The Births and Deaths * registered in the Dublin Registration Area and in eleven provincial Urban Districts of the Irish Free State, with the annual rates per 1,000 of the population represented thereby, which, for the purposes of these Returns, is estimated at 662,256, are given in Table I. The deaths from all causes appertaining to the undermentioned areas for last week and for the past four weeks, respectively, were equal to the following annual rates per 1,000 of the population:—

Twelve Town Districts, 27·9 and 24·1; Dublin Registration Area, 24·5 and 25·5; Dublin City, 26·6 and 26·5; Cork, 64·6 and 35·3; Limerick, 21·7 and 19·3, and Waterford, 9·5 and 19·0.

The deaths* from certain epidemic diseases † registered in the 12 town districts during last week were equal to an annual rate of 1·1 per 1,000. Among the 95 deaths from all causes for Cork are 2 from diphtheria and 14 from influenza, and of the 16 deaths from all causes for Limerick there is one from each of scarlet fever and diphtheria.

DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA.

In the Dublin Registration Area the births registered during the week amounted to 183—93 boys and 90 girls—and the deaths to 213—118 males and 95 females.

The deaths registered, omitting the deaths (numbering 12) of persons admitted into public institutions from localities outside the Area, represent an annual rate of mortality of 24·5 per 1,000 of the population. During the four weeks ending with Saturday last, the death-rate averaged 25·5 and was 3·1 above the mean rate for the corresponding portions of the ten years 1912-21. The rate for all deaths registered during the four weeks was 27·0 and for the corresponding period of the preceding ten years 23·9.

Included in the 201 deaths appertaining to the Area are one from enteric fever, 7 from measles, one from diphtheria, one from diarrhœa and enteritis of a child under 2 years and 14 from influenza. In the 3 preceding weeks deaths from measles were 8, 2, and 9, deaths from diphtheria 0, one and 0; deaths from diarrhœa and enteritis of children under 2 years were 3, 3, and 2, and deaths from influenza 28, 28, and 13. There were no deaths from enteric fever registered in the three preceding weeks.

There were 26 deaths from pneumonia, comprising 14 from broncho-pneumonia, 2 from lobar pneumonia and 10 from pneumonia (type not distinguished).

Tuberculous disease caused 24 deaths (including 19 from pulmonary tuberculosis, 3 from tuberculous meningitis, and 2 from other forms of tuberculous disease), as against 22, 18, and 28 from all forms of tuberculous disease in the 3 weeks preceding.

Sixteen deaths were caused by cancer, 11 by organic diseases of the heart, and 29 by bronchitis.

Three accidental deaths were recorded.

Among deaths of infants under one year old, 2 were due to measles, 2 to influenza, one was due to tuberculous meningitis, one to tuberculous adenitis, one to venereal disease, 2 to convulsions, 3 to bronchitis, 2 to broncho-pneumonia, one to lobar pneumonia, 2 to pneumonia, one to diarrhœa and enteritis, and 4 to premature birth.

Forty-seven of the deaths registered during the week, appertaining to the Area, were those of children under 5 years of age, 22 being infants under one year, of whom 6 were under one month old, and 58 deaths were those of persons aged 65 and upwards, of whom 36 were 70 years of age or over.

Of the 201 deaths recorded, 73 occurred in hospitals and other public institutions.

ENGLAND AND SCOTLAND.

The mortality among civilians for the week ended 28th January, in 105 large English towns (including London in which the rate was 23·6) was equal to an average annual death rate of 23·1 per 1,000 of the estimated civil population.

The average death-rate for 16 principal towns of Scotland was 42·9 per 1,000 persons living, the rate for Glasgow being 45·7 and for Edinburgh 46·0.

* Exclusive of the deaths of persons admitted into public institutions from without the respective districts.
† Enteric fever, typhus, small-pox, measles, scarlet fever, whooping-cough, diphtheria, dysentery, and diarrhœal diseases.

TABLE I.—BIRTHS and DEATHS registered during the week ending Saturday, 28th January, 1922, in the DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA, in each of the under-mentioned 11 CITIES OR URBAN DISTRICTS, and in BELFAST and LONDONDERRY CITIES (exclusive of Deaths in Public Institutions of Persons admitted from other Districts), the Number of Deaths from some of the PRINCIPAL CAUSES, and the Number of Uncertified Deaths, with the Temperature and Rainfall for the week; also statistics regarding Births, Deaths and Meteorology in London, Edinburgh, and Glasgow.

TOWNS AND DISTRICTS.	POPULATION. Total (a)	Persons to an Acre.	REGISTRATION—WEEK ENDING SATURDAY, 28TH JANUARY, 1922. Annual Rate per 1,000 Persons Represented by BIRTHS.	DEATHS. From all Causes.	DEATHS. From certain Epidemic Diseases. (b)	NUMBERS REGISTERED. BIRTHS Total Number	DEATHS. Total Number.	Under 1 year of Age.	At 65 years and upwards.	Caused by Enteric Fever.	Typhus.	Small-pox.	Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Whooping-cough.	Diphtheria.	Dysentery.	Influenza.	Tuberculosis. Pulmonary.	Other Forms.	Cancer.	Diseases of the Respiratory System. Pneumonia.	Other.	Diarrhœa and Enteritis of children under 2 years of age.	Diarrhœa, 2 years of age and upwards.	Violence.	Inquest Cases.	No. of Deaths in Public Institutions.	Number of Uncertified Deaths.	METEOROLOGY. (c) WEEK ENDING 28TH JANUARY, 1922. Air Temperature. Absolute Highest.	Absolute Lowest.	Mean Maximum (A).	Mean Minimum (B).	Mean of (A) and (B).	Rainfall in Inches.
COLS.	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)	(14)	(15)	(16)	(17)	(18)	(19)	(20)	(21)	(22)	(23)	(24)	(25)	(26)	(27)	(28)	(29)	(30)	(31)	(32)	(33)	(34)	(35)
TOTAL OF 12 TOWN DISTRICTS ...	662,256	18·9	22·4	27·9	1·1	284	354	35	125	1	.	.	7	1	.	4	.	28	31	9	24	46	60	1	.	4	5	136	11	.	.	.	.	.	.
DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA	427,000	30·5	22·3	24·5	1·2	183	201	22	58	1	.	.	7	.	.	1	.	14	19	5	16	26	37	1	.	3	2	73	1	(d) 52·0	29·1	48·0	35·6	41·8	0·63
Urban Districts. CITY OF DUBLIN	327,000	40·0	22·6	26·6	1·4	142	167	17	48	1	.	.	7	.	.	1	.	12	18	5	15	18	34	.	.	3	2	65	.	(e) 51·0 (f) 51·8	31·0 30·0	4·77 4·78	38·3 37·6	43·0 42·7	0·74 0·64
Urban Districts. RATHMINES and RATHGAR ...	41,500	24·2	16·3	17·6	1·3	13	14	1	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	4	1	1	.	.	.	5	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Urban Districts. PEMBROKE ...	31,100	19·8	31·9	11·7	.	19	7	2	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Urban Districts. BLACKROCK ...	9,900	9·1	5·3	26·3	.	1	5	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Urban Districts. DUN LAOGHAIRE	17,500	12·0	23 8	23·8	.	8	8	2	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	2	1	.	.	.	.	.	1	51	31	46·7	38·5	42·6	0·63
Urban Districts. CORK	76,673	28·6	21·1	64·6	1·4	31	95	7	40	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	14	9	1	1	17	17	.	.	.	.	40	5	52	33	49·1	44·0	46·6	1·73
Urban Districts. LIMERICK ...	38,518	16·1	16·2	21·7	2·7	12	16	3	3	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	1	.	2	2	1	.	.	1	1	6	3	.	.	.	.	.	.
Urban Districts. WATERFORD ...	27,464	19·1	20·9	9·5	.	11	5	2	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	1	.	.	.	.	.	.
Urban Districts. GALWAY	13,255	2.5	The annual rates represented by the numbers of births and deaths registered for these urban districts will be shown in the Quarterly Summary of the Weekly Returns.			9	5	.	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	1	.	.	.	2	.	1	56	26	49·5	35·5	42·5	0·48
Urban Districts. DUNDALK ...	13,128	9·5				5	8	1	5	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Urban Districts. DROGHEDA ...	12,501	8·4				13	9	.	4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	6	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Urban Districts. WEXFORD ...	11,531	22·8				6	7	.	4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	4	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Urban Districts. SLIGO	11,163	3·8				3	4	.	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	50	29	47	37	42	0·47
Urban Districts. KILKENNY ...	10,514	11·4				6	2	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	54	30	47·7	38.2	42·9	0·64
Urban Districts. TRALEE ...	10,300	17·4				2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Urban Districts. CLONMEL	10,209	4·8				3	2	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
BELFAST CITY	425,000	24·3	24·3	18·6	0·5	198	152	17	34	1	.	.	1	.	.	1	.	7	15	3	8	16	17	1	.	8	9	40	10	.	.	.	.	.	.
LONDONDERRY CITY ...	46,000	36·3	36·3	17·0	.	32	15	1	6	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	2	.	.	2	3	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
LONDON	4,476,238	—	—	23·6	—	1,856	2,022	219	775	.	.	.	31	9	61	21	.	—	132	20	104	294	330	8	1	52	124	899	3	52	24	44·0	32·9	38·5	0·54
EDINBURGH	420,486	—	—	46·0	—	198	371	36	145	.	.	.	2	3	4	1	.	116	—	—	—	91		.	—	5	—	—	—	46·0	26·0	38·7	31·7	35·2	0·15
GLASGOW	1,037,845	—	—	45·7	—	674	910g	157	222	.	.	.	69	1	7	7	.	183	—	—	—	375		2	—	11	—	—	—	44·6	28·5	40·2	33·4	36·8	0·64

(a) According to the Census of 1911, but in the cases of the Dublin Registration Area and its component parts, the population given is that estimated to the middle of 1922. The estimate shown for London relates to the civil population in 1921. The population for Glasgow and Edinburgh is that provisionally estimated to the middle of 1922. (b) See note (†) at foot of first page. (c) The observations shown for Sligo were taken at Markree, and those for Cork at Roche's Point. (d) Observations at Ordnance Survey Office, Phœnix Park. (e) Observations by Sir John Moore, taken at Fitzwilliam Square. (f) Observations by Sir Frederick W. Moore, taken at the Botanic Gardens, Glasnevin. (g) Including two deaths from cerebro-spinal meningitis.

TABLE II.—Showing for the WEEK ENDED 28TH JANUARY, 1922, the number of DEATHS of Residents of the several REGISTRARS' DISTRICTS in the DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA, and in the CITY OF CORK, the annual Rate per 1,000 of the Population of the respective Districts represented thereby, and by the Deaths from the principal Epidemic Diseases†; with the mortality from some of the principal causes; also the Deaths at certain age-periods, and the number of Uncertified Deaths, *the Deaths in Public Institutions being assigned to the Districts from which the deceased were admitted.*

WEEK ENDED SATURDAY, 28TH JANUARY, 1922.

REGISTRARS' DISTRICTS, &c.	Estimated Population middle of 1922.*	Annual Rate of Mortality per 1,000 Living represented by Deaths. From all causes	From certain Epidemic Diseases†	Total Deaths.	Under 1 year.	1 and under 2.	2 and under 5.	5 and under 15.	15 and under 25.	25 and under 45.	45 and under 65.	65 and upwards.	Enteric Fever.	Typhus.	Small-pox.	Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Whooping-cough.	Diphtheria.	Dysentery.	Influenza.	Tuberculosis. Pulmonary.	Tuberculosis. Other Forms.	Cancer.	Diseases of Respiratory System. Pneumonia.	Diseases of Respiratory System. Other.	Diarrhœa and Enteritis of Children under 2 years.	Diarrhœa, 2 years and upwards.	Violence.	Other Causes.	Inquest Cases.	In Institutions. In Hospitals, Prisons and Lunatic Asylums.	In Institutions. In Workhouse Hospitals.	Number of Uncertified Deaths.
Cols.	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)	(14)	(15)	(16)	(17)	(18)	(19)	(20)	(21)	(22)	(23)	(24)	(25)	(26)	(27)	(28)	(29)	(30)	(31)	(32)	(33)	34)
DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA.																																		
Dublin City Districts. North City, No. 1, E.	31,600	24·8	5·0	15	3	3	1	.	.	2	4	2	.	.	.	3	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	1	4	3	.	.	.	2	.	1	1	.
" 1, W.	43,300	25·3	2·4	21	3	1	1	1	1	2	5	7	.	.	.	2	.	.	.	.	2	3	2	3	.	5	.	.	.	4	.	.	4	.
" 2	29,000	28·8	1·8	16	2	2	1	.	.	2	4	5	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	1	2	1	1	2	4	.	.	.	4	.	4	4	.
" 3	35,900	20·3	1·5	14	1	2	1	2	.	3	1	4	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	2	.	.	3	4	.	.	1	2	1	4	1	.
Clontarf and Howth, No. 1, part of	5,800	18·0	.	2	1	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.
Coolock and Drumcondra, part of	14,300	32·8	3·6	9	.	2	.	.	.	1	3	3	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	1	5	1	3	.	.
Finglas and Glasnevin, part of	11,700	17·8	.	4	.	.	.	.	.	2	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.
South City, No. 1	45,300	31·1	.	27	3	3	1	.	1	4	8	7	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	3	5	.	1	5	5	.	.	.	8	.	7	7	.
" 2	19,100	43·7	.	16	2	1	.	.	.	2	6	5	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	3	.	.	.	11	.	2	4	.
" 3	45,600	17·2	1·1	15	1	1	.	.	1	3	6	3	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	3	1	1	.	.	.	7	.	5	2	.
" 4	34,500	31·7	.	21	1	.	2	1	.	3	3	11	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	1	3	2	7	.	.	.	6	.	7	5	.
New Kilmainham	10,900	33·5	.	7	.	.	1	1	.	5	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	1	2	.	.	1	2	.	3	1	.
Urban Districts. Rathmines and Rathgar	41,500	17·6	1·3	14	1	1	1	.	1	4	4	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	4	1	1	.	.	7	.	4	1	.
Pembroke	31,100	11·7	.	7	2	.	.	.	1	1	.	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	1	1	.	.	.	4	.	1	.	.
Blackrock	9,900	26·3	.	5	.	.	.	.	.	.	3	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	3	.	2	.	.
Dun Laoghaire	17,500	23·8	.	8	2	.	.	.	2	.	1	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	2	1	.	.	.	4	.	.	.	1
Total City of Dublin	327,000	26·6	1·4	167	17	15	8	5	3	30	41	48	1	.	.	7	.	.	1	.	12	18	5	15	18	34	.	.	3	53	2	36	29	.
Total Urban Districts	100,000	17·7	0·5	34	5	1	1	.	4	5	8	10	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	1	.	1	8	3	1	.	.	18	.	7	1	1
Total Dublin Registration Area	427,000	24·5	1·2	201	22	16	9	5	7	35	49	58	1	.	.	7	.	.	1	.	14	19	5	16	26	37	1	.	3	71	2	43	30	1
Deaths relating to residents of localities situated outside the Registration Area (not included in above)	.	.	.	12	2	.	.	.	2	4	2	2	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	2	1	2	.	2	.	.	.	4	.	11	1	.
CITY OF CORK.																																		
Cork City Districts. Cork Urban, No. 1	13,455	23·3	3·9	6	.	1		2		1	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	2	1	.	.	1	.	.	.	1	.	5		1
" 2	10,399	60·2	.	12	2	.		.		2	4	4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	2	.	.	1	2	.	.	.	6	.	6		1
" 3	9,793	111·8	5·3	21	2	4		2		2	4	7	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	4	.	.	7	3	.	.	.	5	.	6		2
" 4	9,139	85·6	.	15	.	4		.		.	4	7	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	3	.	.	.	3	2	.	.	.	7	.	6		.
" 5	6,250	58·4	.	7	.	2		.		1	1	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	3	.	.	.	1	2	.	.	.	1	.	.		.
" 6	11,581	63·0	.	14	1	.		1		2	2	8	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	4	1	.	.	2	4	.	.	.	3	.	6		1
" 7	16,056	65·0	.	20	2	2		.		1	5	10	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	1	3	3	.	.	.	11	.	11		.
Total City of Cork	76,673	64·6	1·4	95	7	13		5		9	21	40	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	14	9	1	1	17	17	.	.	.	34	.	40		5

* The populations given for the Urban Districts of Cork are those according to the Census of 1911.

† See note (†) at foot of first page.

TABLE III.—Showing the NUMBER of CASES of INFECTIOUS DISEASES notified in the Dublin Registration Area (viz. :—the City of Dublin, and the Urban Districts of Rathmines and Rathgar, Pembroke, Blackrock and Dun Laoghaire), and in the Cities of Cork, Limerick, and Waterford, during the week ended 28th January, 1922, and each of the preceding three weeks, as furnished by the respective Sanitary Authorities. A dash (—) denotes that the disease in question is not notifiable in the District.

Cities and Urban Districts.	Week ending	Enteric Fever.	Typhus.	Pyrexia—Continued Fever.	Relapsing Fever.	Small-pox.	Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Whooping-cough.	Diphtheria (including Membranous Croup).	Erysipelas.	Puerperal Fever.	Diarrhœal Diseases.	Dysentery.	Malaria.	Trench Fever.	Acute Primary Pneumonia and Acute Influenzal Pneumonia.	Cerebro-spinal Fever.	Acute Poliomyelitis.	Encephalitis Lethargica.	Tuberculosis.	Total.
City of Dublin	Jan. 7	.	.	.	.	.	—	2	—	6	3	.	—	.	.	.	2	.	.	—	9	22
	Jan. 14	.	.	.	.	.	—	4	—	3	1	1	—	.	.	.	5	.	.	—	6	20
	Jan. 21	.	.	.	.	.	—	5	—	3	2	.	—	.	1	.	5	.	.	—	11	27
	Jan. 28	.	.	.	.	.	—	1	—	2	1	.	—	.	.	.	1	.	.	—	14	19
Rathmines & Rathgar Urban District	Jan. 7	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	2	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	2
	Jan. 14	.	.	.	.	.	—	2	—	.	1	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	3
	Jan. 21	.	.	.	.	.	—	2	—	4	.	.	—	.	.	.	2	.	.	—	—	8
	Jan. 28	.	.	.	.	.	—	1	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	1
Pembroke Urban District	Jan. 7	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	1	1
	Jan. 14	.	.	.	.	.	5	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	5
	Jan. 21	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	1	.	.	—	.	.	.	1	.	.	—	.	4
	Jan. 28	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.
Blackrock Urban District	Jan. 7	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.
	Jan. 14	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.
	Jan. 21	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.
	Jan. 28	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.
Dun Laoghaire Urban District	Jan 7	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.
	Jan. 14	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.
	Jan. 21	.	.	.	.	.	—	1	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	1
	Jan. 28	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.
City of Cork	Jan. 7	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	11	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	—	11*a*
	Jan. 14	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	—	10	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	—	11
	Jan. 21	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	6	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	—	6*a*
	Jan. 28	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	5	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	—	6
City of Limerick	Jan. 7	.	.	.	.	.	—	1	—	2	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	3
	Jan. 14	.	.	.	.	.	—	1	—	1	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	2
	Jan. 21	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	5	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	5
	Jan. 28	.	.	.	.	.	—	1	—	1	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	2
City of Waterford	Jan. 7	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	.	.
	Jan. 14	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	.	.
	Jan. 21	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	.	.
	Jan. 28	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	.	.

(*a*) Not including one case of Varicella.

TABLE IV.—Showing the NUMBER of CASES of the undermentioned DISEASES treated in Dublin Hospitals during the week ended Saturday, 28th January, 1922, with the number under treatment at the close of each of the last four weeks.

Diseases	No. of Cases in Hospital at close of week ended			Week ended 28th January			
	Jan. 7	Jan. 14	Jan. 21	No. admitted.	Dis-charged.	Died.	No. under treatment at close of week.
Enteric Fever, ...	10	10	7	1	2	.	6
Typhus, ...	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Small-pox, ...	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Measles, ...	26	30	33	8	5	1	35
Scarlet Fever,..	34	33	31	5	8	.	28*
Diphtheria, ...	36	32	25	5	3	.	27
Pneumonia, ...	28	26	27	9	4	2	30

* Exclusive of 10 patients in "Beneavin," the Convalescent Home of Cork Street Fever Hospital.

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TWELVE TOWN DISTRICTS.

The Births and Deaths * registered in the Dublin Registration Area and in eleven provincial Urban Districts of the Irish Free State, with the annual rates per 1,000 of the population represented thereby, which, for the purposes of these Returns, is estimated at 662,256, are given in Table I. The deaths from all causes appertaining to the undermentioned areas for last week and for the past four weeks, respectively, were equal to the following annual rates per 1,000 of the population:—

Twelve Town Districts, 23·2 and 24·2; Dublin Registration Area, 21·4 and 24·0; Dublin City, 21·5 and 24·7; Cork, 39·4 and 40·1; Limerick, 19·0 and 21·0, and Waterford, 19·0 and 12·4.

The deaths* from certain epidemic diseases † registered in the 12 town districts during last week were equal to an annual rate of 0·9 per 1,000. Among the 58 deaths from all causes for Cork are 2 from diphtheria and 5 from influenza. Two of the 10 deaths from all causes for Waterford are from influenza. Of the 8 deaths from all causes for Dundalk one is from whooping-cough and one from diarrhœa and enteritis of a child under 2 years. The 7 deaths from all causes for Wexford include 2 from influenza, and one of the 6 deaths from all causes for Kilkenny is from diphtheria.

DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA.

In the Dublin Registration Area the births registered during the week amounted to 242—121 boys and 121 girls—and the deaths to 190—81 males and 109 females.

The deaths registered, omitting the deaths (numbering 15) of persons admitted into public institutions from localities outside the Area, represent an annual rate of mortality of 21·4 per 1,000 of the population. During the five weeks ending with Saturday last, the death-rate averaged 24·7 and was 2·4 above the mean rate for the corresponding portions of the ten years 1912-21. The rate for all deaths registered during the five weeks was 26·3 and for the corresponding period of the preceding ten years 23·8.

Included in the 175 deaths appertaining to the Area are 5 from measles, one from whooping-cough and 16 from influenza. In the 3 preceding weeks deaths from measles were 2, 9, and 7; deaths from whooping-cough one, 0, and 0; and deaths from influenza 28, 13, and 14.

There were 24 deaths from pneumonia, comprising 15 from broncho-pneumonia, 4 from lobar pneumonia and 5 from pneumonia (type not distinguished).

Tuberculous disease caused 21 deaths (including 18 from pulmonary tuberculosis, and 3 from other forms of tuberculous disease), as against 18, 28, and 24 from all forms of tuberculous disease in the 3 weeks preceding.

Seven deaths were caused by cancer, 13 by organic diseases of the heart, and 27 by bronchitis.

Two accidental deaths were recorded.

Among deaths of infants under one year old, 2 were due to measles, one to pulmonary tuberculosis, one to venereal disease, one to simple meningitis, 3 to convulsions, 3 to broncho-pneumonia, one to pneumonia, 2 to congenital malformations, 5 to premature birth, and 3 to congenital debility.

Forty-one of the deaths registered during the week, appertaining to the Area, were those of children under 5 years of age, 23 being infants under one year, of whom 13 were under one month old, and 54 deaths were those of persons aged 65 and upwards, of whom 40 were 70 years of age or over.

Of the 175 deaths recorded, 67 occurred in hospitals and other public institutions.

ENGLAND AND SCOTLAND.

The mortality among civilians for the week ended 4th February, in 105 large English towns (including London in which the rate was 19·4) was equal to an average annual death rate of 21·5 per 1,000 of the estimated civil population.

The average death-rate for 16 principal towns of Scotland was 38·7 per 1,000 persons living, the rate for Glasgow being 40·8 and for Edinburgh 40·3.

* Exclusive of the deaths of persons admitted into public institutions from without the respective districts.

† Enteric fever, typhus, small-pox, measles, scarlet fever, whooping-cough, diphtheria, dysentery, and diarrhœal diseases.

TABLE I.—BIRTHS and DEATHS registered during the week ending Saturday, 4th February, 1922, in the DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA, in each of the under-mentioned 11 CITIES OR URBAN DISTRICTS, and in BELFAST and LONDONDERRY CITIES (exclusive of Deaths in Public Institutions of Persons admitted from other Districts), the Number of Deaths from some of the PRINCIPAL CAUSES, and the Number of Uncertified Deaths, with the Temperature and Rainfall for the week; also statistics regarding Births, Deaths and Meteorology in London, Edinburgh, and Glasgow.

TOWNS AND DISTRICTS.	Population. Total (a)	Population. Persons to an Acre.	Annual Rate per 1,000 Persons Represented by Births	Annual Rate per 1,000 Persons Represented by Deaths. From all Causes.	Annual Rate per 1,000 Persons Represented by Deaths. From certain Epidemic Diseases. (b)	Registration—Week ending Saturday, 4th February, 1922. Numbers Registered. Births. Total Number	Deaths. Total Number	Deaths. Under 1 year of Age.	Deaths. At 65 years and upwards.	Caused by: Enteric Fever.	Typhus.	Small-pox.	Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Whooping-cough.	Diphtheria.	Dysentery.	Influenza.	Tuberculosis. Pulmonary.	Tuberculosis. Other Forms.	Cancer.	Diseases of the Respiratory System. Pneumonia.	Diseases of the Respiratory System. Other.	Diarrhœa and Enteritis of children under 2 years of age.	Diarrhœa, 2 years of age and upwards.	Violence.	Inquest Cases.	No. of Deaths in Public Institutions.	Number of Uncertified Deaths.	Meteorology. (c) Week ending 4th February, 1922. Air Temperature. Absolute Highest.	Absolute Lowest.	Mean Maximum (A).	Mean Minimum (B).	Mean of (A) and (B).	Rainfall in Inches.
COLS.	(1)	(2)	3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)	(14)	(15)	(16)	(17)	(18)	(19)	(20)	(21)	(22)	(23)	(24)	(25)	(26)	(27)	(28)	(29)	(30)	(31)	(32)	(33)	(34)	(35)
TOTAL OF 12 TOWN DISTRICTS ...	662,256	18·9	26·2	23·2	0·9	333	295	31	98	.	.	.	5	.	2	3	.	26	29	8	10	41	48	1	.	2	5	106	7	° .	° .	° .	° .	° .	° .
DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA	427,000	30·5	29·6	21·4	0·7	242	175	23	54	.	.	.	5	.	1	.	.	16	18	3	7	24	30	.	.	2	4	67	5	(d) 53·5	30.0	50·0	37·3	43·6	0·85
Urban Districts. CITY OF DUBLIN	327,000	40·0	33·5	21·5	0·8	210	135	18	43	.	.	.	5	.	.	.	.	10	17	3	5	18	23	.	.	2	4	56	4	(e) 53·0 (f) 53·8	37·0 31·6	49·2 50·5	40·7 38·5	45·0 44·5	0·68 0·82
Urban Districts. RATHMINES and RATHGAR ...	41,500	24·2	22·6	22·6	.	18	18	1	6	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	.	1	5	.	.	.	.	4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Urban Districts. PEMBROKE ...	31,100	19·8	11·7	20·1	1·7	7	12	2	4	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	1	.	2	4	1	.	.	.	.	6	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Urban Districts. BLACKROCK ...	9,900	9·1	10·5	10·5	.	2	2	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.
Urban Districts. DÚN LAOGHAIRE	17,500	12·0	14·9	23·8	.	5	8	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	4	.	.	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	1	.	55	37	50·2	42·0	46·1	0·73
Urban Districts. CORK	76,673	28·6	21·8	39·4	1·4	32	58	5	23	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	5	4	3	1	13	11	.	.	.	.	18	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Urban Districts. LIMERICK ...	38,518	16·1	4·1	19·0	.	3	14	1	5	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	2	1	.	1	5	.	.	.	.	7	2	.	.	.	.	.	.
Urban Districts. WATERFORD ...	27,464	19·1	17·1	19·0	.	9	10	.	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	2	.	.	2	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Urban Districts. GALWAY	13,255	2.5	The annual rates represented by the numbers of births and deaths registered for these urban districts will be shown in the Quarterly Summary of the Weekly Returns.			9	4	.	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	54	34	51	37	44	1·35
Urban Districts. DUNDALK ...	13,128	9·5				13	8	1	3	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	2	1	.	.	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Urban Districts. DROGHEDA ...	12,501	8·4				2	5	.	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Urban Districts. WEXFORD ...	11,531	22·8				5	7	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Urban Districts. SLIGO	11,163	3·8				8	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	54	33	49	39	44	1·66
Urban Districts. KILKENNY ...	10,514	11·4				2	6	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	3	.	53	30	50	36	43	1·35
Urban Districts. TRALEE ...	10,300	17·4				3	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Urban Districts. CLONMEL	10,209	4·8				5	4	1	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
BELFAST CITY	425,000	24·3	25·0	21·8	1·1	204	178	24	42	1	.	.	3	.	.	1	.	22	14	3	4	24	25	3	1	5	5	51	2	57·5	34·0	51·7	38·2	45·0	1·69
LONDONDERRY CITY ...	46,000	36·3	34·0	13·6	.	30	12	2	7	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	3	.	.	.	1	3	.	.	.	.	2	1	.	.	.	.	.	.
LONDON	4,476,238	—	—	19·4	—	2,024	1,662	192	598	.	.	.	32	13	44	35	.	—	104	16	113	223	188	9	3	44	105	807	5	52	29	48·0	37·0	42·5	0·77
EDINBURGH	420,486	—	—	40·3	—	236	32[g]	32	142	.	.	.	.	1	6	.	.	99	—	—	—	81		2	—	3	—	—	—	47·0	30·0	41·9	35·3	38·6	0·54
GLASGOW	1,037,845	—	—	40·8	—	593	812[g]	135	204	.	.	.	76	3	6	8	.	130	—	—	—	287		8	—	12	—	—	—	47·4	34·3	42·3	37·1	39·7	1·20

(a) According to the Census of 1911, but in the cases of the Dublin Registration Area and its component parts, the population given is that estimated to the middle of 1922. The estimate shown for London relates to the civil population in 1921. The population for Glasgow and Edinburgh is that provisionally estimated to the middle of 1922. (b) See note (†) at foot of first page. (c) The observations shown for Sligo were taken at Markree, and those for Cork at Roche's Point. (d) Observations at Ordnance Survey Office, Phœnix Park. (e) Observations by Sir John Moore, taken at Fitzwilliam Square. (f) Observations by Sir Frederick W. Moore, taken at the Botanic Gardens, Glasnevin. (g) Including one death from cerebro-spinal meningitis.

TABLE II.—Showing for the WEEK ENDED 4TH FEBRUARY, 1922, the number of DEATHS of Residents of the several REGISTRARS' DISTRICTS in the DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA, and in the CITY OF CORK, the annual Rate per 1,000 of the Population of the respective Districts represented thereby, and by the Deaths from the principal Epidemic Diseases†; with the mortality from some of the principal causes; also the Deaths at certain age-periods, and the number of Uncertified Deaths, *the Deaths in Public Institutions being assigned to the Districts from which the deceased were admitted.*

WEEK ENDED SATURDAY, 4TH FEBRUARY, 1922.

REGISTRARS' DISTRICTS, &c.	Estimated Population middle of 1922.*	Annual Rate of Mortality per 1,000 Living represented by Deaths. From all causes	From certain Epidemic Diseases†	Total Deaths.	Under 1 year.	1 and under 2.	2 and under 5.	5 and under 15.	15 and under 25.	25 and under 45.	45 and under 65.	65 and upwards.	Enteric Fever.	Typhus.	Small-pox.	Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Whooping-cough.	Diphtheria.	Dysentery.	Influenza.	Tuberculosis. Pulmonary.	Tuberculosis. Other Forms.	Cancer.	Diseases of Respiratory System. Pneumonia.	Diseases of Respiratory System. Other.	Diarrhœa and Enteritis of Children under 2 years.	Diarrhœa, 2 years and upwards.	Violence.	Other Causes.	Inquest Cases.	In Institutions. In Hospitals, Prisons and Lunatic Asylums.	In Institutions. In Workhouse Hospitals.	Number of Uncertified Deaths.
					DEATHS. CAUSED BY																													
Cols.	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)	(14)	(15)	(16)	(17)	(18)	(19)	(20)	(21)	(22)	(23)	(24)	(25)	(26)	(27)	(28)	(29)	(30)	(31)	(32)	(33)	(34)
DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA.																																		
Dublin City Districts. North City, No. 1, E.	31,600	19·8	5·0	12	2	2	.	.	.	1	3	4	.	.	.	3	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	1	1	3	.	.	.	2	.	.	2	.
,, 1, W.	43,300	21·7	.	18	5	1	.	.	.	2	3	7	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	4	3	.	.	1	8	.	3	3	.
,, 2	29,000	19·8	.	11	2	.	1	.	2	2	2	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	3	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	6	.	6	2	.
,, 3	35,900	14·5	1·5	10	1	1	.	.	1	5	1	1	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	6	.	5	1	1
Clontarf and Howth, No. 1, part of	5,800	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Coolock and Drumcondra, part of	14,300	21·9	.	6	.	.	.	.	1	.	3	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	3	2	3	.	.
Finglas and Glasnevin, part of	11,700	22·3	.	5	2	.	1	.	.	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	4	.	.	.	.
South City, No. 1	45,300	24·2	.	21	3	.	1	.	.	7	3	7	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	5	2	.	1	3	.	.	.	8	.	4	5	2
,, 2	19,100	24·6	.	9	.	.	1	.	.	1	4	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	4	.	.	.	3	.	.	6	.
,, 3	45,600	26·3	.	23	2	4	2	1	1	2	1	10	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	2	.	1	4	8	.	.	.	6	.	5	2	.
,, 4	34,500	25·7	1·5	17	.	1	1	.	2	1	8	4	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	3	3	.	.	3	2	.	.	1	4	2	4	4	.
New Kilmainham	10,900	14·4	.	3	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	1	1
Urban Districts. Rathmines and Rathgar	41,500	22·6	.	18	1	.	.	1	.	4	6	6	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	.	1	5	.	.	.	10	.	4	.	.
Pembroke	31,100	20·1	1·7	12	2	1	1	.	.	1	3	4	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	1	.	2	4	1	.	.	.	3	.	3	3	.
Blackrock	9,900	10·5	.	2	1	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	.	1
Dún Laoghaire	17,500	23·8	.	8	1	.	.	1	.	2	3	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	4	.	.	.	1	1	.	.	.	2	.	.	1	.
Total City of Dublin	327,000	21·5	0·8	135	18	9	7	1	7	21	29	43	.	.	.	5	.	.	.	.	10	17	3	5	18	23	.	.	2	52	4	30	26	4
Total Urban Districts	100,000	20·9	0·5	40	5	1	1	2	.	7	13	11	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	6	1	.	2	6	7	.	.	.	17	.	7	4	1
Total Dublin Registration Area	427,000	21·4	0·7	175	23	10	8	3	7	28	42	54	.	.	.	5	.	1	.	.	16	18	3	7	24	30	.	.	2	69	4	37	39	5
Deaths relating to residents of localities situated outside the Registration Area (not included in above)	.	.	.	15	.	.	1	.	1	5	6	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	1	1	3	2	1	.	.	.	5	.	14	1	.
CITY OF CORK.																																		
Cork City Districts. Cork Urban, No. 1	13,455	31·0	.	8	.	.		.		1	1	6	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	3	.	.	.	1	3	.	.	.	1	.	3		.
,, 2	10,399	55·2	10·0	11	2	1		2		2	2	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	1	.	1	2	2	.	.	.	3	.	3		.
,, 3	9,793	37·3	.	7	2	4		.		.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	4	1	.	.	.	2	.	1		.
,, 4	9,139	57·1	.	10	.	2		.		2	2	4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	2	1	.	.	.	5	.	4		.
,, 5	6,250	50·1	.	6	.	.		.		1	1	4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	3	.	3		.
,, 6	11,581	22·5	.	5	1	2		.		1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	2	.	.	.	.	1	.	.		.
,, 7	16,056	35·7	.	11	.	.		1		.	4	6	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	2	3	.	.	.	4	.	4		.
Total City of Cork	76,673	39·4	1·4	58	5	9		3		7	11	23	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	5	4	3	1	13	11	.	.	.	19	.	18		.

* The populations given for the Urban Districts of Cork are those according to the Census of 1911. † See note (†) at foot of first page.

TABLE III.—Showing the NUMBER of CASES of INFECTIOUS DISEASES notified in the Dublin Registration Area (viz. :—the City of Dublin, and the Urban Districts of Rathmines and Rathgar, Pembroke, Blackrock and Dún Laoghaire), and in the Cities of Cork, Limerick, and Waterford, during the week ended 4th February, 1922, and each of the preceding three weeks, as furnished by the respective Sanitary Authorities. A dash (—) denotes that the disease in question is not notifiable in the District.

Cities and Urban Districts.	Week ending	Enteric Fever.	Typhus.	Pyrexia—Continued Fever.	Relapsing Fever.	Small-pox.	Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Whooping-cough.	Diphtheria (including Membranous Croup).	Erysipelas.	Puerperal Fever.	Diarrhœal Diseases.	Dysentery.	Malaria.	Trench Fever.	Acute Primary Pneumonia and Acute Influenzal Pneumonia.	Cerebro-spinal Fever.	Acute Poliomyelitis.	Encephalitis Lethargica.	Tuberculosis.	Total.
City of Dublin	Jan. 14	.	.	.	.	.	—	4	—	3	1	1	—	.	.	.	5	.	.	—	6	20
	Jan. 21	.	.	.	.	.	—	5	—	3	2	.	—	.	1	.	5	.	.	—	11	27
	Jan. 28	.	.	.	.	.	—	1	—	2	1	.	—	.	.	.	1	.	.	—	14	19
	Feb. 4	.	.	.	.	.	—	2	—	9	2	.	—	.	.	.	7	.	.	—	5	25
Rathmines & Rathgar Urban District	Jan. 14	.	.	.	.	.	—	2	—	.	1	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	3
	Jan. 21	.	.	.	.	.	—	2	—	4	.	.	—	.	.	.	2	.	.	—	—	8
	Jan. 28	.	.	.	.	.	—	1	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	1
	Feb. 4	.	.	.	.	.	—	3	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	1	.	.	—	—	4
Pembroke Urban District	Jan. 14	.	.	.	.	.	5	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	5
	Jan. 21	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	1	.	.	—	.	.	.	1	.	.	—	.	4
	Jan. 28	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.
	Feb. 4	.	.	.	.	.	5	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	5
Blackrock Urban District	Jan. 14	.	.	.	.	.	.		—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.
	Jan. 21	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.
	Jan. 28	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.
	Feb 4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.
Dún Laoghaire Urban District	Jan. 14	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.
	Jan. 21	.	.	.	.	.	—	1	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	1
	Jan. 28	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.
	Feb 4	.	.	.	.	.	—	1	—	.	1	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	2
City of Cork	Jan. 14	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	—	10	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	—	11
	Jan. 21	.	.	.	.	.		.	—	6	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	—	6
	Jan. 28	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	5	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	—	6
	Feb. 4	.	.	.	.	.	9	1	—	7	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	—	17
City of Limerick	Jan. 14	.	.	.	.	.	—	1	—	1	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	2
	Jan. 21	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	5	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	5
	Jan. 28	.	.	.	.	.	—	1	—	1	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	2
	Feb. 4	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	3	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	3
City of Waterford	Jan. 14	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	.	.
	Jan. 21	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	.	.
	Jan. 28	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	.	.
	Feb. 4	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	.	.

(*a*) Not including one case of Varicella.

TABLE IV.—Showing the NUMBER of CASES of the undermentioned DISEASES treated in Dublin Hospitals during the week ended Saturday, 4th February, 1922, with the number under treatment at the close of each of the last four weeks.

Diseases	No. of Cases in Hospital at close of week ended			Week ended 4th February			
	Jan. 14	Jan. 21	Jan. 28	No. admitted.	Dis-charged.	Died.	No. under treatment at close of week.
Enteric Fever, ...	10	7	6	.	.	.	6
Typhus, ...	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Small-pox, ...	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Measles, ...	36	33	35	9	10	.	34
Scarlet Fever, ...	33	31	28	7	4	.	31*
Diphtheria, ...	32	25	27	15	7	.	35
Pneumonia, ...	26	27	30	8	9	.	29

* Exclusive of 10 patients in "Beneavin," the Convalescent Home of Cork Street Fever Hospital.

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TWELVE TOWN DISTRICTS.

The Births and Deaths * registered in the Dublin Registration Area and in eleven provincial Urban Districts of the Irish Free State, with the annual rates per 1,000 of the population represented thereby, which, for the purposes of these Returns, is estimated at 662,256, are given in Table I. The deaths from all causes appertaining to the undermentioned areas for last week and for the past four weeks, respectively, were equal to the following annual rates per 1,000 of the population:—

Twelve Town Districts, 21·9 and 24·2; Dublin Registration Area, 20·0 and 22·6; Dublin City, 21·2 and 24·0; Cork, 29·9 and 42·0; Limerick, 27·1 and 22·7, and Waterford, 28·5 and 17·6.

The deaths* from certain epidemic diseases † registered in the 12 town districts during last week were equal to an annual rate of 1·7 per 1,000. Among the 44 deaths from all causes for Cork are one from each of enteric fever, diphtheria and influenza. The 20 deaths from all causes for Limerick include 2 from diphtheria, one from diarrhœa and enteritis of a child under 2 years, and 3 from influenza, and 5 of the 15 deaths from all causes for Waterford are from influenza.

DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA.

In the Dublin Registration Area the births registered during the week amounted to 234—125 boys and 109 girls—and the deaths to 178—89 males and 89 females.

The deaths registered, omitting the deaths (numbering 14) of persons admitted into public institutions from localities outside the Area, represent an annual rate of mortality of 20·0 per 1,000 of the population. During the six weeks ending with Saturday last, the death-rate averaged 23·9 and was 1·6 above the mean rate for the corresponding portions of the ten years 1912-21. The rate for all deaths registered during the six weeks was 25·5 and for the corresponding period of the preceding ten years 23·9.

Included in the 164 deaths appertaining to the Area are 7 from measles, 5 from whooping-cough, 4 from diarrhœal diseases and 11 from influenza. In the 3 preceding weeks deaths from measles were 9, 7, and 5; deaths from whooping-cough 0, 0, and one; deaths from diarrhœal d[illegible] 3, one, and 0; and deaths from influneza 13, 14, and 16.

There were 17 deaths from pneumonia, comprising 9 from bronc[illegible] pneumonia and 7 from pneumonia (type not distinguished).

Tuberculous disease caused 22 deaths (including 20 from pulmo[illegible] other forms of tuberculous disease), as against 28, 24, and 21 from all f[illegible] of tuberculous disease in the 3 weeks preceding.

Eight deaths were caused by cancer, 10 by organic diseases of the heart, and 23 by bronchitis.

Four accidental deaths were recorded, of which one was caused by burns.

Among deaths of infants under one year old, one was due to measles, one to whooping-cough, one to tuberculous meningitis, 4 to convulsions, one to bronchitis, 4 to broncho-pneumonia, 3 to diarrhœa and enteritis, 3 to premature birth, and 4 to congenital debility.

Forty-two of the deaths registered during the week, appertaining to the Area, were those of children under 5 years of age, 24 being infants under one year, of whom 9 were under one month old, and 52 deaths were those of persons aged 65 and upwards, of whom 37 were 70 years of age or over.

Of the 164 deaths recorded, 60 occurred in hospitals and other public institutions.

ENGLAND AND SCOTLAND.

The mortality among civilians for the week ended 11th February, in 105 large English towns (including London in which the rate was 16·5) was equal to an average annual death rate of 18·8 per 1,000 of the estimated civil population.

The average death-rate for 16 principal towns of Scotland was 26·3 per 1,000 persons living, the rate for Glasgow being 25·3 and for Edinburgh 24·8.

* Exclusive of the deaths of persons admitted into public institutions from without the respective districts.
† Enteric fever, typhus, small-pox, measles, scarlet fever, whooping-cough, diphtheria, dysentery, and diarrhœal diseases.

TABLE I.—BIRTHS and DEATHS registered during the week ending Saturday, 11th February, 1922, in the DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA, in each of the under-mentioned 11 CITIES OR URBAN DISTRICTS, and in BELFAST and LONDONDERRY CITIES (exclusive of Deaths in Public Institutions of Persons admitted from other Districts), the Number of Deaths from some of the PRINCIPAL CAUSES, and the Number of Uncertified Deaths, with the Temperature and Rainfall for the week; also statistics regarding Births, Deaths and Meteorology in London, Edinburgh, and Glasgow.

TOWNS AND DISTRICTS.	POPULATION. Total (a)	Persons to an Acre.	Annual Rate per 1,000 Persons Represented by BIRTHS.	DEATHS. From all Causes.	DEATHS. From certain Epidemic Diseases. (b)	BIRTHS Total Number	DEATHS Total Number	Under 1 year of Age.	At 65 years and upwards.	Enteric Fever.	Typhus.	Small-pox.	Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Whooping-cough.	Diphtheria.	Dysentery.	Influenza.	Tuberculosis. Pulmonary.	Tuberculosis. Other Forms.	Cancer.	Diseases of the Respiratory System. Pneumonia.	Diseases of the Respiratory System. Other.	Diarrhœa and Enteritis of children under 2 years of age.	Diarrhœa, 2 years of age and upwards.	Violence.	Inquest Cases.	No. of Deaths in Public Institutions.	Number of Uncertified Deaths.	Absolute Highest.	Absolute Lowest.	Mean Maximum (A).	Mean Minimum (B).	Mean of (A) and (B).	Rainfall in Inches.
			REGISTRATION—WEEK ENDING SATURDAY, 11TH FEBRUARY, 1922. NUMBERS REGISTERED.																											METEOROLOGY. (c) WEEK ENDING 11TH FEBRUARY, 1922. Air Temperature.					
COLS.	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)	(14)	(15)	(16)	(17)	(18)	(19)	(20)	(21)	(22)	(23)	(24)	(25)	(26)	(27)	(28)	(29)	(30)	(31)	(32)	(33)	(34)	(35)
TOTAL OF 12 TOWN DISTRICTS ...	662,256	18·9	26·6	21·9	1·7	338	278	42	89	1	.	.	7	.	5	3	.	23	29	3	10	28	43	5	1	5	4	90	8	.	.	.	.	.	.
DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA	427,000	30·5	28·6	20·0	2·0	234	164	24	52	.	.	.	7	.	5	.	.	11	20	2	8	17	28	3	1	4	2	60	1	(d) 50·2	21.7	46·7	31·9	39·3	0·18
Urban Districts. CITY OF DUBLIN	327,000	40·0	29·7	21·2	2·2	186	133	22	35	.	.	.	7	.	5	.	.	8	17	2	6	17	22	2	.	4	2	55	1	(e) 48 1 (f) 48·6	30·2 25·0	46·3 46·7	36 8 35·0	41·6 40·9	0·16 0·29
Urban Districts. RATHMINES and RATHGAR ...	41,500	24·2	16·3	12·6	.	13	10	.	7	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	2	.	1	.	3	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Urban Districts. PEMBROKE ...	31,100	19·8	31·9	18·4	3·4	19	11	2	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	1	.	1	.	.	1	1	.	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Urban Districts. BLACKROCK ...	9,900	9·1	26·3	15·8	.	5	3	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Urban Districts. DÚN LAOGHAIRE	17,500	12·0	32 8	20·9	.	11	7	.	5	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	53	34	47·1	38·5	42·8	0·10
Urban Districts. CORK	76,673	28·6	28·6	29·9	1·4	42	44	6	15	1	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	3	.	.	5	4	.	.	.	1	19	1	50	39	47·7	43.7	45·7	0·59
Urban Districts. LIMERICK ...	38,518	16·1	13·5	27·1	4·1	10	20	2	4	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	3	3	.	.	3	5	1	.	.	.	5	1	.	.	.	.	.	.
Urban Districts. WATERFORD ...	27,464	19·1	11·4	28·5	.	6	15	6	4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	5	.	1	.	2	3	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.
Urban Districts. GALWAY	13,255	2.5	The annual rates represented by the numbers of births and deaths registered for these urban districts will be shown in the Quarterly Summary of the Weekly Returns.			6	6	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	1	.	53	32	49.4	37.0	43.2	0·32
Urban Districts. DUNDALK ...	13,128	9·5				4	2	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Urban Districts. DROGHEDA ...	12,501	8·4				6	5	.	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Urban Districts. WEXFORD ...	11,531	22·8				6	4	2	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.
Urban Districts. SLIGO	11,163	3·8				6	3	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	49	31	48	36	42	0·25
Urban Districts. KILKENNY ...	10,514	11·4				3	5	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	49	31	46·4	39·2	42·8	0·50
Urban Districts. TRALEE ...	10,300	17·4				8	6	1	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	1	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Urban Districts. CLONMEL	10,209	4·8				7	4	.	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.
BELFAST CITY	425,000	24·3	23·4	26·5	0·6	191	216	28	54	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	28	22	2	4	28	39	3	.	6	6	59	9	53·5	34·0	52·6	37·5	45·0	0·23
LONDONDERRY CITY ...	46,000	36·3	23·8	15·9	.	21	14	1	7	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	3	.	.	1	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
LONDON	4,476,238	—	—	16·5	—	2,102	1,418	186	500	.	.	.	26	5	70	31	.	—	106	22	105	149	182	14	1	37	115	691	1	44	26	39·9	28·3	34·1	0·00
EDINBURGH	420,486	—	—	24·8	—	173	200	17	85	.	.	.	.	1	6	2	.	48	—	—	—	38		.	—	5	—	—	—	46·0	28·0	40 4	33·1	36·8	0·08
GLASGOW	1,037,845	—	—	25·3	—	566	504g	118	110	.	.	.	62	2	2	4	.	48	—	—	—	158		7	—	14	—	—	—	43·9	32·1	41·1	34·4	37·7	0·27

(a) According to the Census of 1911, but in the cases of the Dublin Registration Area and its component parts, the population given is that estimated to the middle of 1922. The estimate shown for London relates to the civil population in 1921. The population for Glasgow and Edinburgh is that provisionally estimated to the middle of 1922. (b) See note (†) at foot of first page. (c) The observations shown for Sligo were taken at Markree, and those for Cork at Roche's Point. (d) Observations at Ordnance Survey Office, Phœnix Park. (e) Observations by Sir John Moore, taken at Fitzwilliam Square. (f) Observations by Sir Frederick W. Moore, taken at the Botanic Gardens, Glasnevin. (g) Including one death from cerebro-spinal meningitis.

TABLE II.—Showing for the WEEK ENDED 11TH FEBRUARY, 1922, the number of DEATHS of Residents of the several REGISTRARS' DISTRICTS in the DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA, and in the CITY OF CORK, the annual Rate per 1,000 of the Population of the respective Districts represented thereby, and by the Deaths from the principal Epidemic Diseases†; with the mortality from some of the principal causes; also the Deaths at certain age-periods, and the number of Uncertified Deaths, *the Deaths in Public Institutions being assigned to the Districts from which the deceased were admitted.*

WEEK ENDED SATURDAY, 11TH FEBRUARY, 1922.

REGISTRARS' DISTRICTS, &c.	Estimated Population middle of 1922.*	Annual Rate of Mortality per 1,000 Living represented by Deaths. From all causes	From certain Epidemic Diseases†	Total Deaths.	Under 1 year.	1 and under 2.	2 and under 5.	5 and under 15.	15 and under 25.	25 and under 45.	45 and under 65.	65 and upwards.	Caused by: Enteric Fever.	Typhus.	Small-pox.	Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Whooping-cough.	Diphtheria.	Dysentery.	Influenza.	Tuberculosis. Pulmonary.	Tuberculosis. Other Forms.	Cancer.	Diseases of Respiratory System. Pneumonia.	Diseases of Respiratory System. Other.	Diarrhœa and Enteritis of Children under 2 years.	Diarrhœa, 2 years and upwards.	Violence.	Other Causes.	Inquest Cases.	In Institutions. In Hospitals, Prisons and Lunatic Asylums.	In Institutions. In Workhouse Hospitals.	Number of Uncertified Deaths.
COLS.	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)	(14)	(15)	(16)	(17)	(18)	(19)	(20)	(21)	(22)	(23)	(24)	(25)	(26)	(27)	(28)	(29)	(30)	(31)	(32)	(33)	34)
DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA.																																		
Dublin City Districts. North City, No. 1, E.	31,600	14·9	3·3	9	1	2	1	.	.	.	3	2	.	.	.	2	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	1	.	2	.	.	.	3	.	.	3	.
" 1, W.	43,300	24·1	7·2	20	3	5	.	3	.	1	2	6	.	.	.	2	.	4	.	.	.	1	.	.	3	5	.	.	.	5	.	4	3	.
" 2	29,000	16·2	1·8	9	2	1	.	.	.	4	2	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	5	.	1	2	.
" 3	35,900	21·8	.	15	2	1	.	1	1	3	1	6	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	1	3	2	.	.	1	6	.	4	4	.
Clontarf and Howth, No. 1, part of	5,800	9·0	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.
Coolock and Drumcondra, part of	14,300	10·9	.	3	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.
Finglas and Glasnevin, part of	11,700	22·3	.	5	1	.	.	1	.	1	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	.	2	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.
South City, No. 1	45,300	27·6	1·2	24	4	2	.	.	.	3	6	9	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	4	2	.	.	2	5	1	.	.	10	.	2	7	.
" 2	19,100	19·1	.	7	2	1	.	.	.	1	1	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	1	.	.	.	.	4	.	.	2	.
" 3	45,600	24·0	1·1	21	3	.	1	1	2	4	8	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	5	.	2	5	5	1	.	1	2	1	9	5	.
" 4	34,500	25·7	4·5	17	3	2	1	.	1	1	5	4	.	.	.	2	.	1	.	.	2	1	.	2	.	2	.	.	2	5	1	3	4	.
New Kilmainham	10,900	9·6	.	2	1	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	1
Urban Districts. Rathmines and Rathgar	41,500	12·6	.	10	.	.	.	.	1	1	1	7	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	2	.	1	.	3	.	.	.	3	.	.	2	.
Pembroke	31,100	18·4	3·4	11	2	1	.	1	.	2	2	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	1	.	1	.	.	1	1	.	5	.	2	.	.
Blackrock	9,900	15·8	.	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	2	.	1	.	.
Dún Laoghaire	17,500	20·9	.	7	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	5	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	.	5	.	.	.	.
Total City of Dublin	327,000	21·2	2·2	133	22	14	3	6	5	19	29	35	.	.	.	7	.	5	.	.	8	17	2	6	17	22	2	.	4	43	2	24	31	1
Total Urban Districts	100,000	16·2	1·0	31	2	1	.	1	1	3	6	17	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	3	3	.	2	.	6	1	1	.	15	.	3	2	.
Total Dublin Registration Area	427,000	20·0	2·0	164	24	15	3	7	6	22	35	52	.	.	.	7	.	5	.	.	11	20	2	8	17	28	3	1	4	58	2	27	33	1
Deaths relating to residents of localities situated outside the Registration Area (not included in above)				14	2	.	.	1	2	3	4	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	2	1	1	1	.	1	.	.	6	.	14	.	.
CITY OF CORK.																																		
Cork City Districts. Cork Urban, No. 1	13,455	31·[illegible]	[illegible]	8	.		1		.	2	.	5	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	5	.		5	.
" 2	10,399	30·1	[illegible]	6	1		.		1	1	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	4	.		3	.
" 3	9,793	21·3	[illegible]	4	.		.		.	1	1	2	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	3	.		3	.
" 4	9,139	45·6		8	2		1		1	1	2	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	.	6	.		3	.
" 5	6,250	16·7		2	.		.		.	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	1		.	.
" 6	11,581	22·5		5	1		.		2	.	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	3	.		3	1
" 7	16,056	35·7		1	2		2		.	2	1	4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	3	1	.	.	.	6	.		2	.
Total City of Cork	76,673	29·9	1		6		4		4	7	8	15	1	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	3	.	.	5	4	.	.	.	29	1		19	1

* The populations given for the [illegible] d its component parts are those according to the Census of 1911. † See note (†) at foot of first page.

TABLE III.—Showing the NUMBER of CASES of INFECTIOUS DISEASES notified in the Dublin Registration Area (viz. :—the City of Dublin, and the Urban Districts of Rathmines and Rathgar, Pembroke, Blackrock and Dún Laoghaire), and in the Cities of Cork, Limerick, and Waterford, during the week ended 11th February, 1922, and each of the preceding three weeks, as furnished by the respective Sanitary Authorities. A dash (—) denotes that the disease in question is not notifiable in the District.

Cities and Urban Districts.	Week ending	Enteric Fever.	Typhus.	Pyrexia—Continued Fever.	Relapsing Fever.	Small-pox.	Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Whooping-cough.	Diphtheria (including Membranous Croup).	Erysipelas.	Puerperal Fever.	Diarrhœal Diseases.	Dysentery.	Malaria.	Trench Fever.	Acute Primary Pneumonia and Acute Influenzal Pneumonia.	Cerebro-spinal Fever.	Acute Poliomyelitis.	Encephalitis Lethargica.	Tuberculosis.	Total.
City of Dublin	Jan. 21	.	.	.	.	.	—	5	—	3	2	.	—	.	1	.	5	.	.	—	11	27
	Jan. 28	.	.	.	.	.	—	1	—	2	1	.	—	.	.	.	1	.	.	—	14	19
	Feb. 4	.	.	.	.	.	—	2	—	9	2	.	—	.	.	.	7	.	.	—	5	25
	Feb. 11	.	.	.	.	.	—	1	—	2	2	.	—	.	.	.	5	.	.	—	22	32
Rathmines & Rathgar Urban District	Jan. 21	.	.	.	.	.	—	2	—	4	.	.	—	.	.	.	2	.	.	—	—	8
	Jan. 28	.	.	.	.	.	—	1	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	1
	Feb. 4	.	.	.	.	.	—	3	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	1	.	.	—	—	4
	Feb. 11	.	.	.	.	.	—	3	—	4	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	7
Pembroke Urban District	Jan. 21	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	1	.	.	—	.	.	.	1	.	.	—	.	4
	Jan. 28	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.
	Feb. 4	.	.	.	.	.	5	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	5
	Feb. 11	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	1
Blackrock Urban District	Jan. 21	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.
	Jan. 28	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.
	Feb. 4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.
	Feb. 11	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.
Dún Laoghaire Urban District	Jan. 21	.	.	.	.	.	—	1	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	1
	Jan. 28	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.
	Feb 4	.	.	.	.	.	—	1	—	.	1	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	2
	Feb. 11	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	1	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	1
City of Cork	Jan. 21	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	6	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	—	6
	Jan. 28	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	5	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	—	6
	Feb. 4	.	.	.	.	.	9	1	—	7	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	—	17*a*
	Feb. 11	1	.	.	.	.	1	.	—	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	—	3*b*
City of Limerick	Jan. 21	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	5	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	5
	Jan. 28	.	.	.	.	.	—	1	—	1	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	2
	Feb. 4	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	3	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	3
	Feb. 11	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	4	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	4
City of Waterford	Jan. 21	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	.	.
	Jan. 28	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	.	.
	Feb. 4	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	.	.
	Feb. 11	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	.	.

(*a*) Not including one case of Varicella.
(*b*) Not including 2 cases of Varicella.

TABLE IV.—Showing the NUMBER of CASES of the undermentioned DISEASES treated in Dublin Hospitals during the week ended Saturday, 11th February, 1922, with the number under treatment at the close of each of the last four weeks.

Diseases	No. of Cases in Hospital at close of week ended			Week ended 11th February			
	Jan. 21	Jan. 28	Feb. 4	No. admitted.	Dis-charged.	Died.	No. under treatment at close of week.
Enteric Fever, ...	7	6	6	1	.	.	7
Typhus, ...	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Small-pox, ...	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Measles, ...	33	35	34	7	7	2	32
Scarlet Fever,..	31	28	31	7	3	.	35*
Diphtheria, ...	25	27	35	7	12	.	30
Pneumonia, ...	27	30	29	13	1	4	37

* Exclusive of 9 patients in "Beneavin," the Convalescent Home of Cork Street Fever Hospital.

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TWELVE TOWN DISTRICTS.

The Births and Deaths * registered in the Dublin Registration Area and in eleven provincial Urban Districts of the Irish Free State, with the annual rates per 1,000 of the population represented thereby, which, for the purposes of these Returns, is estimated at 662,256, are given in Table I. The deaths from all causes appertaining to the undermentioned areas for last week and for the past four weeks, respectively, were equal to the following annual rates per 1,000 of the population:—

Twelve Town Districts, 22·5 and 23·9; Dublin Registration Area, 21·0 and 21·7; Dublin City, 23·0 and 23·1; Cork, 23·8 and 39·4; Limerick, 36·6 and 26·1, and Waterford, 20·9 and 19·5.

The deaths* from certain epidemic diseases † registered in the 12 town districts during last week were equal to an annual rate of 0·9 per 1,000. Among the 35 deaths from all causes for Cork are one from diphtheria, and 5 from influenza. The 27 deaths from all causes for Limerick include one from diphtheria and 7 from influenza. Four of the 11 deaths from all causes for Waterford are from influenza, and of the 9 deaths from all causes for Dundalk 3 are from influenza.

DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA.

In the Dublin Registration Area the births registered during the week amounted to 233—119 boys and 114 girls—and the deaths to 192—87 males and 105 females.

The deaths registered, omitting the deaths (numbering 20) of persons admitted into public institutions from localities outside the Area, represent an annual rate of mortality of 21·0 per 1,000 of the population. During the seven weeks ending with Saturday last, the death-rate averaged 23·5 and was 1·1 above the mean rate for the corresponding portions of the ten years 1912-21. The rate for all deaths registered during the seven weeks was 25·2 and for the corresponding period of the preceding ten years 24·0.

Included in the 172 deaths appertaining to the Area are 6 from measles, 3 from diarrhœa and enteritis of children under 2 years and 7 from influenza. In the 3 preceding weeks deaths from measles were 7, 5, and 7; deaths from diarrhœa and enteritis of children under 2 years one, 0, and 3; and deaths from influenza 14, 16, and 11.

There were 28 deaths from pneumonia, comprising 16 from broncho-pneumonia, one from lobar pneumonia and 11 from pneumonia (type not distinguished).

Tuberculous disease caused 21 deaths (including 19 from pulmonary tuberculosis and 2 from other forms of tuberculous disease), as against 24, 21, and 22 from all forms of tuberculous disease in the 3 weeks preceding.

Four deaths were caused by cancer, 16 by organic diseases of the heart, and 32 by bronchitis.

Two accidental deaths were recorded, of which one was caused by drowning.

Among deaths of infants under one year old, one was due to venereal disease, 3 to bronchitis, 6 to broncho-pneumonia, 2 to pneumonia, 3 to diarrhœa and enteritis, 2 to congenital malformations, 2 to premature birth, and 2 to congenital debility.

Thirty-nine of the deaths registered during the week, appertaining to the Area, were those of children under 5 years of age, 25 being infants under one year, of whom 7 were under one month old, and 53 deaths were those of persons aged 65 and upwards, of whom 42 were 70 years of age or over.

Of the 172 deaths recorded, 74 occurred in hospitals and other public institutions.

ENGLAND AND SCOTLAND.

The mortality among civilians for the week ended 18th February, in 105 large English towns (including London in which the rate was 19·1) was equal to an average annual death rate of 19·9 per 1,000 of the estimated civil population.

The average death-rate for 16 principal towns of Scotland was 22·5 per 1,000 persons living, the rate for Glasgow being 23·2 and for Edinburgh 21·1.

* Exclusive of the deaths of persons admitted into public institutions from without the respective districts.

† Enteric fever, typhus, small-pox, measles, scarlet fever, whooping-cough, diphtheria, dysentery, and diarrhœal diseases.

TABLE I.—BIRTHS and DEATHS registered during the week ending Saturday, 18th February, 1922, in the DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA, in each of the under-mentioned 11 CITIES OR URBAN DISTRICTS, and in BELFAST and LONDONDERRY CITIES (exclusive of Deaths in Public Institutions of Persons admitted from other Districts), the Number of Deaths from some of the PRINCIPAL CAUSES, and the Number of Uncertified Deaths, with the Temperature and Rainfall for the week; also statistics regarding Births, Deaths and Meteorology in London, Edinburgh, and Glasgow.

TOWNS AND DISTRICTS.	POPULATION. Total (a)	Persons to an Acre.	REGISTRATION—WEEK ENDING SATURDAY, 18TH FEBRUARY, 1922. Annual Rate per 1,000 Persons Represented by BIRTHS.	DEATHS. From all Causes.	DEATHS. From certain Epidemic Diseases. (b)	NUMBERS REGISTERED. BIRTHS. Total Number.	DEATHS. Total Number.	Under 1 year of Age.	At 65 years and upwards.	Caused by: Enteric Fever.	Typhus.	Small-pox.	Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Whooping-cough.	Diphtheria.	Dysentery.	Influenza.	Tuberculosis. Pulmonary.	Tuberculosis. Other Forms.	Cancer.	Diseases of the Respiratory System. Pneumonia.	Diseases of the Respiratory System. Other.	Diarrhœa and Enteritis of children under 2 years of age.	Diarrhœa, 2 years of age and upwards.	Violence.	Inquest Cases.	No. of Deaths in Public Institutions.	Number of Uncertified Deaths.	METEOROLOGY. (c) WEEK ENDING 18TH FEBRUARY, 1922. Air Temperature. Absolute Highest.	Absolute Lowest.	Mean Maximum (A).	Mean Minimum (B).	Mean of (A) and (B).	Rainfall in Inches.
COLS.	(1)	(2)	3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)	(14)	(15)	(16)	(17)	(18)	(19)	(20)	(21)	(22)	(23)	(24)	(25)	(26)	(27)	(28)	(29)	(30)	(31)	(32)	(33)	(34)	(35)
TOTAL OF 12 TOWN DISTRICTS ...	662,256	18·9	27·1	22·5	0·9	344	286	32	92	.	.	.	6	.	.	2	.	27	23	4	9	41	54	3	.	5	3	106	10	.	.	.	.	.	.
DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA	427,000	30·5	28·5	21·0	1·1	233	172	25	53	.	.	.	6	.	.	.	.	7	19	2	4	28	37	3	.	2	1	74	1	(d) 49·9	23·8	46·4	32·5	39·4	0·38
Urban Districts. CITY OF DUBLIN	327,000	40·0	30·1	23·0	1·3	189	144	22	46	.	.	.	6	.	.	.	.	5	14	1	4	25	32	2	.	1	1	61	.	(e) 51·0 (f) 50·0	31·1 27·0	45·7 46·5	36·3 34·2	41·0 40·3	0·37 0·36
Urban Districts. RATHMINES and RATHGAR ...	41,500	24·2	23·9	15·1	.	19	12	.	6	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	1	3	.	.	.	.	8	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Urban Districts. PEMBROKE ...	31,100	19·8	26·8	15·1	1·7	16	9	3	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	2	1	.	1	1	1	.	1	.	2	1	.	.	.	.	.	.
Urban Districts. BLACKROCK ...	9,900	9·1	15·8	15·8	.	3	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Urban Districts. DÚN LAOGHAIRE	17,500	12·0	17·9	11·9	.	6	4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	52	32	48·2	37·4	42·8	0·21
Urban Districts. CORK	76,673	28·6	31·3	23·8	0·7	46	35	4	14	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	5	1	.	.	5	7	.	.	1	1	13	1	49	33	47·3	40·7	44·0	0·71
Urban Districts. LIMERICK ...	38,518	16·1	17·6	36·6	1·4	13	27	2	8	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	7	2	.	.	1	2	.	.	.	.	6	2	.	.	.	.	.	.
Urban Districts. WATERFORD ...	27,464	19·1	24·7	20·9	.	13	11	1	4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	4	.	.	1	.	3	.	.	1	.	3	2	.	.	.	.	.	.
Urban Districts. GALWAY	13,255	2.5	The annual rates represented by the numbers of births and deaths registered for these urban districts will be shown in the Quarterly Summary of the Weekly Returns.			5	11	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	3	.	.	.	.	1	3	54	30	49·5	34·0	41·8	0·63
Urban Districts. DUNDALK ...	13,128	9·5				5	9	.	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	3	.	1	1	2	.	.	.	.	.	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Urban Districts. DROGHEDA ...	12,501	8·4				14	7	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	1	2	2	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Urban Districts. WEXFORD ...	11,531	22·8				7	3	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Urban Districts. SLIGO	11,163	3·8				1	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	50	32	46	36	41	1·19
Urban Districts. KILKENNY ...	10,514	11·4				4	5	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	.	1	1	3	1	50	29	46·9	35·4	41·1	0·39
Urban Districts. TRALEE ...	10,300	17·4				3	4	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Urban Districts. CLONMEL	10,209	4·8				.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
BELFAST CITY	425,000	24·3	22·9	28·8	0·7	187	235	25	70	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	50	16	4	5	42	35	4	1	12	8	55	2	52·0	29·5	50·1	34·7	42·4	0·82
LONDONDERRY CITY ...	46,000	36·3	30·6	13·6	1·1	27	12	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	3	.	1	.	1	2	.	.	.	.	2	1	.	.	.	.	.	.
LONDON	4,476,238	—	—	19·1	—	1,923	1,636	181	591	.	.	.	39	12	52	28	.	.	119	8	114	179	218	16	5	40	95	758	3	54	26	46·4	33·9	40·2	0·40
EDINBURGH	420,486	—	—	21·1	0·5	172	170	19	65	.	.	.	.	1	3	.	.	24	—	—	—	41		.	—	5	—	—	—	43·0	31·0	46·9	33·4	37·1	0·51
GLASGOW	1,037,845	—	—	23·2	3·6	597	461g	103	109	.	.	.	58	2	2	3	.	28	—	—	—	135		6	—	12	—	—	—	44·3	30·7	40·8	34·0	37·4	0·87

(a) According to the Census of 1911, but in the cases of the Dublin Registration Area and its component parts, the population given is that estimated to the middle of 1922. The estimate shown for London relates to the civil population in 1921. The population for Glasgow and Edinburgh is that provisionally estimated to the middle of 1922. (b) See note (†) at foot of first page. (c) The observations shown for Sligo were taken at Markree, and those for Cork at Roche's Point. (d) Observations at Ordnance Survey Office, Phœnix Park. (e) Observations by Sir John Moore, taken at Fitzwilliam Square. (f) Observations by Sir Frederick W. Moore, taken at the Botanic Gardens, Glasnevin. (g) Including one death from cerebro-spinal meningitis.

TABLE II.—Showing for the WEEK ENDED 18TH FEBRUARY, 1922, the number of DEATHS of Residents of the several REGISTRARS' DISTRICTS in the DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA, and in the CITY OF CORK, the annual Rate per 1,000 of the Population of the respective Districts represented thereby, and by the Deaths from the principal Epidemic Diseases†: with the mortality from some of the principal causes; also the Deaths at certain age-periods, and the number of Uncertified Deaths, *the Deaths in Public Institutions being assigned to the Districts from which the deceased were admitted.*

REGISTRARS' DISTRICTS, &c.	Estimated Population Middle of 1922.*	Annual Rate of Mortality per 1,000 Living represented by Deaths. From all causes	From certain Epidemic Diseases†	Total Deaths	Under 1 year.	1 and under 2.	2 and under 5.	5 and under 15.	15 and under 25.	25 and under 45.	45 and under 65.	65 and upwards.	Enteric Fever.	Typhus.	Small-pox.	Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Whooping-cough.	Diphtheria.	Dysentery.	Influenza.	Tuberculosis. Pulmonary.	Tuberculosis. Other Forms.	Cancer.	Diseases of Respiratory System. Pneumonia.	Diseases of Respiratory System. Other.	Diarrhœa and Enteritis of Children under 2 years.	Diarrhœa, 2 years and upwards.	Violence.	Other Causes.	Inquest Cases.	In Institutions. In Hospitals, Prisons and Lunatic Asylums.	In Institutions. In Workhouse Hospitals.	Number of Uncertified Deaths.
					WEEK ENDED SATURDAY, 18TH FEBRUARY, 1922. DEATHS. CAUSED BY																													
COLS.	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)	(14)	(15)	(16)	(17)	(18)	(19)	(20)	(21)	(22)	(23)	(24)	(25)	(26)	(27)	(28)	(29)	(30)	(31)	(32)	(33)	34)
DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA.																																			
Dublin City Districts. North City, No. 1, E.	31,600	24·8	1·7	15	3	3	.	.	.	2	5	2	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	6	3	.	.	.	5	.	2	.	.
,, 1, W.	43,300	25·3	1·2	21	5	1	1	.	.	2	5	7	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	1	3	5	.	.	.	9	.	2	4	.
,, 2	29,000	16·2	.	9	5	.	1	.	.	.	.	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	3	2	.	.	.	3	.	1	1	.
,, 3	35,900	24·7	.	17	2	1	.	.	.	3	7	4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	1	3	4	.	.	.	7	.	6	4	.
CLONTARF AND HOWTH, No. 1, part of	5,800	18·0	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.
COOLOCK AND DRUMCONDRA, part of	14,300	18·2	.	5	.	.	.	.	.	2	2	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	2	.	.
FINGLAS AND GLASNEVIN, part of	11,700	13·4	4·5	3	.	1	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	.	.
SOUTH CITY, No. 1	45,300	28·8	2·3	25	.	2	.	1	.	3	7	12	.	.	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	4	.	1	2	6	.	.	.	10	.	5	10	.
,, 2	19,100	13·6	.	5	.	.	.	.	.	2	1	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	.	2	.	.	.	1	.	1	3	.
,, 3	45,600	32·0	2·3	28	5	1	2	1	3	4	3	9	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	1	2	1	.	7	8	1	.	.	7	.	6	7	.
,, 4	34,500	18·1	.	12	1	.	.	1	2	4	1	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	3	.	.	1	1	.	.	1	6	1	4	3	.
NEW KILMAINHAM	10,900	9·6	.	2	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	1	.	.	.	.
Urban Districts. RATHMINES AND RATHGAR	41,500	15·1	.	12	.	.	.	.	1	1	4	6	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	1	3	.	.	.	7	.	6	2	.
PEMBROKE	31,100	15·1	1·7	9	3	.	.	1	1	2	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	2	1	.	1	1	1	.	1	1	.	2	.	1
BLACKROCK	9,900	15·8	.	3	.	.	.	.	1	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.
DÚN LAOGHAIRE	17,500	11·9	.	4	.	1	.	.	.	2	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	1	.	2	.	.
Total City of Dublin	327,000	23·0	1·3	144	22	9	4	3	5	23	32	46	.	.	.	6	.	.	.	.	5	14	1	4	25	32	2	.	1	54	1	29	32	.
Total Urban Districts	100,000	14·6	0·5	28	3	1	.	1	3	6	7	7	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	5	1	.	3	5	1	.	1	10	.	11	2	1
Total Dublin Registration Area	427,000	21·0	1·1	172	25	10	4	4	8	29	39	53	.	.	.	6	.	.	.	.	7	19	2	4	28	37	3	.	2	64	1	40	34	1
Deaths relating to residents of localities situated outside the Registration Area (not included in above)				20	.	.	.	1	2	8	5	4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	2	1	2	3	.	.	.	3	7	1	19	1	.
CITY OF CORK.																																		
Cork City Districts. CORK URBAN, No. 1	13,455	11·6	.	3	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	2	.	3	.	.
,, 2	10,399	25·1	5·0	5	1	1	.	.	.	.	2	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	1	.	.
,, 3	9,793	31·9	.	6	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	5	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	2	1	.	.	.	2	.	2	.	.
,, 4	9,139	28·5	.	5	1	1	1	1	.	.	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	1	.	.	1	1	1	1	.	.
,, 5	6,250	33·4	.	4	1	.	.	.	.	1	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	2	.	1	.	.
,, 6	11,581	27·0	.	6	1	.	.	.	.	.	3	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	3	.	1	.	.
,, 7	16,056	19·5	.	6	.	.	.	.	.	1	3	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	5	1	.	.	5	7	.	.	1	15	1	13	.	1
Total City of Cork	76,673	23·8	0·7	35	4	3		2		2	10	14	.	.	.	.	.	.		.														

* The populations given for the City of Cork and its component parts are those according to the Census of 1911.

† See note (†) at foot of first page.

TABLE III.—Showing the NUMBER of CASES of INFECTIOUS DISEASES notified in the Dublin Registration Area (viz. :—the City of Dublin, and the Urban Districts of Rathmines and Rathgar, Pembroke, Blackrock and Dún Laoghaire), and in the Cities of Cork, Limerick, and Waterford, during the week ended 18th February, 1922, and each of the preceding three weeks, as furnished by the respective Sanitary Authorities. A dash (—) denotes that the disease in question is not notifiable in the District.

Cities and Urban Districts.	Week ending	Enteric Fever.	Typhus.	Pyrexia—Continued Fever.	Relapsing Fever.	Small-pox.	Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Whooping-cough.	Diphtheria (including Membranous Croup).	Erysipelas.	Puerperal Fever.	Diarrhœal Diseases.	Dysentery.	Malaria.	Trench Fever.	Acute Primary Pneumonia and Acute Influenzal Pneumonia.	Cerebro-spinal Fever.	Acute Poliomyelitis.	Encephalitis Lethargica	Tuberculosis.	Total.
City of Dublin	Jan. 28	.	.	.	.	.	—	1	—	2	1	.	—	.	.	.	1	.	.	—	14	19
	Feb. 4	.	.	.	.	.	—	2	—	9	2	.	—	.	.	.	7	.	.	—	5	25
	Feb. 11	.	.	.	.	.	—	1	—	2	2	.	—	.	.	.	5	.	.	—	22	32
	Feb. 18	.	.	.	.	.	—	7	—	3	2	.	—	.	.	.	6	.	.	—	4	22
Rathmines & Rathgar Urban District	Jan. 28	.	.	.	.	.	—	1	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	1
	Feb. 4	.	.	.	.	.	—	3	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	1	.	.	—	—	4
	Feb. 11	.	.	.	.	.	—	3	—	4	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	7
	Feb. 18	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	.
Pembroke Urban District	Jan. 28	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.
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City of Limerick	Jan. 28	.	.	.	.	.	—	1	—	1	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	2
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City of Waterford	Jan. 28	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	.	.
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(*a*) Not including one case of Varicella.
(*b*) Not including 2 cases of Varicella.

TABLE IV.—Showing the NUMBER of CASES of the undermentioned DISEASES treated in Dublin Hospitals during the week ended Saturday, 18th February, 1922, with the number under treatment at the close of each of the last four weeks.

Diseases	No. of Cases in Hospital at close of week ended			Week ended 18th February			
	Jan. 28	Feb. 4	Feb. 11	No. admitted.	Dis-charged.	Died.	No. under treatment at close of week.
Enteric Fever, ...	6	6	7	.	3	.	4
Typhus, ...	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Small-pox, ...	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Measles, ...	35	34	32	4	9	.	27
Scarlet Fever,..	28	31	35	5	6	.	34*
Diphtheria, ...	27	35	30	8	4	.	34
Pneumonia, ...	30	29	37	8	8	3	34

* Exclusive of 10 patients in "Beneavin," the Convalescent Home of Cork Street Fever Hospital.

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TWELVE TOWN DISTRICTS.

The Births and Deaths * registered in the Dublin Registration Area and in eleven provincial Urban Districts of the Irish Free State, with the annual rates per 1,000 of the population represented thereby, which, for the purposes of these Returns, is estimated at 662,256, are given in Table I. The deaths from all causes appertaining to the undermentioned areas for last week and for the past four weeks, respectively, were equal to the following annual rates per 1,000 of the population:—

Twelve Town Districts, 26·0 and 23·4; Dublin Registration Area, 25·0 and 21·9; Dublin City, 25·2 and 22·7; Cork, 18·4 and 27·9; Limerick, 67·7 and 37·6, and Waterford, 32·3 and 25·2.

The deaths* from certain epidemic diseases † registered in the 12 town districts during last week were equal to an annual rate of 0·9 per 1,000. Among the 50 deaths from all causes for Limerick are one from diphtheria, and 24 from influenza, and the 17 deaths from all causes for Waterford include 5 from influenza.

DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA.

In the Dublin Registration Area the births registered during the week amounted to 228—126 boys and 102 girls—and the deaths to 218—111 males and 107 females.

The deaths registered, omitting the deaths (numbering 13) of persons admitted into public institutions from localities outside the Area, represent an annual rate of mortality of 25·0 per 1,000 of the population. During the eight weeks ending with Saturday last, the death-rate averaged 23·7 and was 0·8 above the mean rate for the corresponding portions of the ten years 1912-21. The rate for all deaths registered during the eight weeks was 25·4 and for the corresponding period of the preceding ten years 24·5.

Included in the 205 deaths appertaining to the Area are 6 from measles, one from scarlet fever, one from whooping-cough, 3 from diarrhœa and enteritis of children under 2 years, 9 from influenza, one from cerebro-spinal meningitis, and one from encephalitis lethargica. In the 3 preceding weeks deaths from measles were 5, 7, and 6; deaths from whooping-cough, one, 5, and 0; deaths from diarrhœa and enteritis of children under 2 years 0, 3, and 3; and deaths from influenza 16, 11, and 7. There were no deaths from scarlet fever or cerebro-spinal meningitis registered in the three preceding weeks.

There were 30 deaths from pneumonia, comprising 20 from broncho-pneumonia, and 10 from pneumonia (type not distinguished).

Tuberculous disease caused 18 deaths (including 15 from pulmonary tuberculosis and 3 from other forms of tuberculous disease), as against 21, 22, and 21 from all forms of tuberculous disease in the 3 weeks preceding.

Eight deaths were caused by cancer, 12 by organic diseases of the heart, and 31 by bronchitis.

Five accidental deaths were recorded, of which one was caused by burns and one by drowning and there were two cases of homicide.

Among deaths of infants under one year old, one was due to whooping-cough one to venereal disease, 3 to convulsions, 4 to bronchitis, 4 to broncho-pneumonia, one to pneumonia, 3 to diarrhœa and enteritis, 2 to congenital malformations, 3 to premature birth, and 8 to congenital debility.

Sixty-six of the deaths registered during the week, appertaining to the Area, were those of children under 5 years of age, 36 being infants under one year, of whom 13 were under one month old, and 62 deaths were those of persons aged 65 and upwards, of whom 48 were 70 years of age or over.

Of the 205 deaths recorded, 73 occurred in hospitals and other public institutions.

ENGLAND AND SCOTLAND.

The mortality among civilians for the week ended 25th February, in 105 large English towns (including London in which the rate was 17·1) was equal to an average annual death rate of 17·6 per 1,000 of the estimated civil population.

The average death-rate for 16 principal towns of Scotland was 19·2 per 1,000 persons living, the rate for Glasgow being 21·2 and for Edinburgh 17·9.

* Exclusive of the deaths of persons admitted into public institutions from without the respective districts.
† Enteric fever, typhus, small-pox, measles, scarlet fever, whooping-cough, diphtheria, dysentery, and diarrhœal diseases.

TABLE I.—BIRTHS and DEATHS registered during the week ending Saturday, 25th February, 1922, in the DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA, in each of the under-mentioned 11 CITIES OR URBAN DISTRICTS, and in BELFAST and LONDONDERRY CITIES (exclusive of Deaths in Public Institutions of Persons admitted from other Districts), the Number of Deaths from some of the PRINCIPAL CAUSES, and the Number of Uncertified Deaths, with the Temperature and Rainfall for the week; also statistics regarding Births, Deaths and Meteorology in London, Edinburgh, and Glasgow.

TOWNS AND DISTRICTS.	POPULATION. Total (a)	Persons to an Acre.	REGISTRATION—WEEK ENDING SATURDAY, 25TH FEBRUARY, 1922. Annual Rate per 1,000 Persons Represented by BIRTHS.	DEATHS. From all Causes.	DEATHS. From certain Epidemic Diseases. (b)	NUMBERS REGISTERED. BIRTHS. Total Number.	DEATHS. Total Number.	Under 1 year of Age.	At 65 years and upwards.	Caused by: Enteric Fever.	Typhus.	Small-pox.	Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Whooping-cough.	Diphtheria.	Dysentery.	Influenza.	Tuberculosis. Pulmonary.	Tuberculosis. Other Forms.	Cancer.	Diseases of the Respiratory System. Pneumonia.	Diseases of the Respiratory System. Other.	Diarrhœa and Enteritis of children under 2 years of age.	Diarrhœa, 2 years of age and upwards.	Violence.	Inquest Cases.	No. of Deaths in Public Institutions.	Number of Uncertified Deaths.	METEOROLOGY. (c) WEEK ENDING 25TH FEBRUARY, 1922. Air Temperature. Absolute Highest.	Absolute Lowest.	Mean Maximum (A).	Mean Minimum (B).	Mean of (A) and (B).	Rainfall in Inches.
COLS.	(1)	(2)	3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)	(14)	(15)	(16)	(17)	(18)	(19)	(20)	(21)	(22)	(23)	(24)	(25)	(26)	(27)	(28)	(29)	(30)	(31)	(32)	(33)	(34)	(35)
TOTAL OF 12 TOWN DISTRICTS ...	662,256	18·9	24·3	26·0	0·9	309	330	50	99	.	.	.	6	1	1	1	.	39	28	5	10	52	50	3	.	11	13	111	12	° .	° .	° .	° .	° .	° .
DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA	427,000	30·5	27·8	25·0	1·3	228	205g	36	62	.	.	.	6	1	1	.	.	9	15	3	8	30	34	3	.	7	10	73	3	(d) 57·8	31·8	52·4	39·0	45·7	0·54
Urban Districts. CITY OF DUBLIN	327,000	40·0	30·8	25·2	1·6	193	158	28	40	.	.	.	6	1	.	.	.	7	14	2	5	26	25	3	.	7	9	58	3	(e) 58·0 (f) 58·6	33·0 32·0	51·6 52·5	40·3 39·8	46·0 46·1	0·33 0·38
Urban Districts. RATHMINES and RATHGAR ...	41,500	24·2	8·8	22·6	1·3	7	18	4	9	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	1	.	.	.	1	3	.	.	.	1	8	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Urban Districts. PEMBROKE ...	31,100	19·8	25·1	16·8	.	15	10	.	4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	1	1	1	.	.	.	.	4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Urban Districts. BLACKROCK ...	9,900	9·1	5·3	36·9	.	1	7	.	4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Urban Districts. DÚN LAOGHAIRE	17,500	12·0	35·8	35·8	.	12	12	4	5	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	5	.	.	.	.	2	.	59	33	51·7	40·0	45·8	0·31
Urban Districts. CORK	76,673	28·6	23·8	18·4	.	35	27	3	8	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	1	1	6	4	.	.	1	1	8	1	54	35	50·4	42·9	46·7	1·10
Urban Districts. LIMERICK ...	38,518	16·1	10·8	67·7	1·4	8	50	7	12	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	24	5	.	1	6	7	.	.	1	.	15	5	.	.	.	.	.	.
Urban Districts. WATERFORD ...	27,464	19·1	15·2	32·3	.	8	17	1	8	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	5	3	1	.	3	.	.	.	1	1	10	1	.	.	.	.	.	.
Urban Districts. GALWAY	13,255	2.5	The annual rates represented by the numbers of births and deaths registered for these urban districts will be shown in the Quarterly Summary of the Weekly Returns.			2	4	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	1	54	32	52	34	43	2·45
Urban Districts. DUNDALK ...	13,128	9·5				2	9	1	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	.	1	2	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Urban Districts. DROGHEDA ...	12,501	8·4				3	4	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	2	.	.	1	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.
Urban Districts. WEXFORD ...	11,531	22·8				6	3	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Urban Districts. SLIGO	11,163	3·8				3	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	57	29	49	36	42·5	2·99
Urban Districts. KILKENNY ...	10,514	11·4				3	4	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	58	32	51·1	39·0	45·1	0·63
Urban Districts. TRALEE ...	10,300	17·4				9	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Urban Districts. CLONMEL	10,209	4·8				2	4	2	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
BELFAST CITY	425,000	24·3	37·9	28·7	1·1	309	234	37	46	.	.	.	2	1	2	1	.	30	19	4	8	51	29	3	.	4	2	53	3	58·0	30·5	51·0	34·8	42·9	0·92
LONDONDERRY CITY ...	46,000	36·3	31·7	19·3	.	28	17	.	10	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	2	.	1	.	4	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
LONDON	4,476,238	—	—	17·1	—	2,029	1,472	183	489	1	—	.	53	9	42	28	—	—	123	11	100	200	178	23	3	36	111	679	2	60	33	54·1	39·9	47·0	0·39
EDINBURGH	420,486	—	—	17·9	1·0	195	144	17	58	.	—	.	1	1	4	2	—	10	—	—	—	26		.	—	6	—	—	—	54·0	30·0	46·7	36·6	41·6	0·56
GLASGOW	1,037,845	—	—	21·2	2·8	566	422	88	105	.	—	.	46	.	4	3	—	16	—	—	—	93		2	—	20	—	—	—	53·9	32·3	47·0	37·8	42·4	1·17

(a) According to the Census of 1911, but in the cases of the Dublin Registration Area and its component parts, the population given is that estimated to the middle of 1922. The estimate shown for London relates to the civil population in 1921. The population for Glasgow and Edinburgh is that provisionally estimated to the middle of 1922. (b) See note (†) at foot of first page. (c) The observations shown for Sligo were taken at Markree, and those for Cork at Roche's Point. (d) Observations at Ordnance Survey Office, Phœnix Park. (e) Observations by Sir John Moore, taken at Fitzwilliam Square. (f) Observations by Sir Frederick W. Moore, taken at the Botanic Gardens, Glasnevin. (g) Including one death from cerebro-spinal meningitis.

TABLE II.—Showing for the WEEK ENDED 25TH FEBRUARY, 1922, the number of DEATHS of Residents of the several REGISTRARS' DISTRICTS in the DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA, and in the CITY OF CORK, the annual Rate per 1,000 of the Population of the respective Districts represented thereby, and by the Deaths from the principal Epidemic Diseases†; with the mortality from some of the principal causes; also the Deaths at certain age-periods, and the number of Uncertified Deaths, *the Deaths in Public Institutions being assigned to the Districts from which the deceased were admitted.*

WEEK ENDED SATURDAY, 25TH FEBRUARY, 1922.

REGISTRARS' DISTRICTS, &c.	Estimated Population middle of 1922.*	Annual Rate of Mortality per 1,000 Living represented by Deaths. From all causes	From certain Epidemic Diseases†	Total Deaths.	DEATHS. Under 1 year.	1 and under 2.	2 and under 5.	5 and under 15.	15 and under 25.	25 and under 45.	45 and under 65.	65 and upwards.	Caused by: Enteric Fever.	Typhus.	Small-pox.	Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Whooping-cough.	Diphtheria.	Dysentery.	Influenza.	Tuberculosis. Pulmonary.	Other Forms.	Cancer.	Diseases of Respiratory System. Pneumonia.	Other.	Diarrhœa and Enteritis of Children under 2 years.	Diarrhœa, 2 years and upwards.	Violence.	Other Causes.	Inquest Cases.	In Institutions. In Hospitals, Prisons and Lunatic Asylums.	In Workhouse Hospitals.	Number of Uncertified Deaths.
COLS.	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)	(14)	(15)	(16)	(17)	(18)	(19)	(20)	(21)	(22)	(23)	(24)	(25)	(26)	(27)	(28)	(29)	(30)	(31)	(32)	(33)	34)
DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA.																																		
Dublin City Districts. North City, No. 1, E.	31,600	19·8	3·3	12	4	1	.	.	.	1	3	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	1	.	1	2	.	.	6	.	2	1	.
,, 1, W.	43,300	22·9	.	19	5	3	1	.	.	1	5	4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	4	3	.	.	.	11	.	.	4	.
,, 2	29,000	23·4	1·8	13	4	1	1	.	1	3	2	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	1	.	3	1	1	.	1	4	1	4	2	.
,, 3	35,900	34·9	1·5	24	2	3	.	.	1	4	2	12	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	1	3	.	1	2	3	.	.	2	11	3	9	7	1
Clontarf and Howth, No. 1, part of	5,800	9·0	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.
Coolock and Drumcondra, part of	14,300	14·6	3·6	4	.	.	.	1	.	.	2	1	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	2	1	3	.	.
Finglas and Glasnevin, part of	11,700	13·4	.	3	1	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	2	.	.	.	.
South City, No. 1	45,300	24·2	3·5	21	6	4	.	.	.	3	4	4	.	.	.	3	.	.	.	.	1	2	.	.	5	2	.	.	.	8	2	1	7	.
,, 2	19,100	24·6	2·7	9	1	3	2	1	.	.	2	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	2	5	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
,, 3	45,600	33·2	1·1	29	2	2	1	2	1	5	7	9	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	1	5	.	2	6	7	.	.	.	7	.	7	4	.
,, 4	34,500	25·7	.	17	3	1	4	1	.	1	2	5	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	1	4	2	.	.	1	7	.	5	.	2
New Kilmainham	10,900	28·7	.	6	.	.	1	1	.	1	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	3	2	1	1	.
Urban Districts. Rathmines and Rathgar	41,500	22·6	1·3	18	4	.	.	.	.	2	3	9	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	1	.	.	.	1	3	.	.	.	12	1	5	3	.
Pembroke	31,100	16·8	.	10	.	.	.	1	1	2	2	4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	1	1	1	.	.	.	5	.	4	.	.
Blackrock	9,900	36·9	.	7	.	1	.	.	1	.	1	4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	4	.	.	1	.
Dún Laoghaire	17,500	35·8	.	12	4	1	.	.	1	.	1	5	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	5	.	.	.	5	.	1	1	.
Total City of Dublin	327,000	25·2	1·6	158	28	18	10	6	3	21	32	40	.	.	.	6	1	.	.	.	7	14	2	5	26	25	3	.	7	62	9	32	26	3
Total Urban Districts	100,000	24·5	0·5	47	8	2	.	1	3	4	7	22	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	2	1	1	3	4	9	.	.	.	26	1	10	5	.
Total Dublin Registration Area	427,000	25·0	1·3	205	36	20	10	7	6	25	39	62	.	.	.	6	1	1	.	.	9	15	3	8	30	34	3	.	7	88	10	42	31	3
Deaths relating to residents of localities situated outside the Registration Area (not included in above)				13	1	.	.	1	2	2	3	4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	3	2	.	.	2	5	2	12	1	.
CITY OF CORK.																																		
Cork City Districts. Cork Urban, No. 1	13,455	15·5	.	4	.	.		.		1	.	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	4		.
,, 2	10,399	15·0	.	3	.	.		.		1	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	2	.	1		.
,, 3	9,793	37·3	.	7	1	2		1		1	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	1	.	.	.	4	.	1		.
,, 4	9,139	17·1	.	3	.	1		.		2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	2	1	1		1
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,, 7	16,056	26·0	.	8	1	2		1		3	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	3	1	.	.	1	2	.	1		.
Total City of Cork	76,673	18·4	.	27	3	5		2		9	.	8	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.		2	1	1	6	4	.	.	1	12	1	8		1

* The populations given for the City of Cork and its component parts are those according to the Census of 1911. † See note (†) at foot of first page.

TABLE III.—Showing the NUMBER of CASES of INFECTIOUS DISEASES notified in the Dublin Registration Area (viz. :—the City of Dublin, and the Urban Districts of Rathmines and Rathgar, Pembroke, Blackrock and Dún Laoghaire), and in the Cities of Cork, Limerick, and Waterford, during the week ended 25th February, 1922, and each of the preceding three weeks, as furnished by the respective Sanitary Authorities. A dash (—) denotes that the disease in question is not notifiable in the District.

Cities and Urban Districts.	Week ending	Enteric Fever.	Typhus.	Pyrexia—Continued Fever.	Relapsing Fever.	Small-pox.	Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Whooping-cough.	Diphtheria (including Membranous Croup).	Erysipelas.	Puerperal Fever.	Diarrhoeal Diseases.	Dysentery.	Malaria.	Trench Fever.	Acute Primary Pneumonia and Acute Influenzal Pneumonia.	Cerebro-spinal Fever.	Acute Poliomyelitis.	Encephalitis Lethargica	Tuberculosis.	Total.
City of Dublin	Feb. 4	.	.	.	.	.	—	2	—	9	2	.	—	.	.	.	7	.	.	—	5	25
	Feb. 11	.	.	.	.	.	—	1	—	2	2	.	—	.	.	.	5	.	.	—	22	32
	Feb. 18	.	.	.	.	.	—	7	—	3	2	.	—	.	.	.	6	.	.	—	4	22
	Feb. 25	.	.	.	.	.	—	4	—	3	2	.	—	.	.	.	7	.	.	—	10	26
Rathmines & Rathgar Urban District	Feb. 4	.	.	.	.	.	—	3	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	1	.	.	—	—	4
	Feb. 11	.	.	.	.	.	—	3	—	4	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	7
	Feb. 18	.	.	.	.	.	—	2	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	2
	Feb. 25	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	2	.	.	—	.	.	.	1	.	.	—	—	3
Pembroke Urban District	Feb. 4	.	.	.	.	.	5	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	5
	Feb. 11	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	1
	Feb. 18	.	.	.	.	.	4	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	4
	Feb. 25	.	.	.	.	.	3	1	.	1	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	5
Blackrock Urban District	Feb 4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.
	Feb. 11	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.
	Feb. 18	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.
	Feb. 25	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.
Dún Laoghaire Urban District	Feb 4	.	.	.	.	.	—	1	—	.	1	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	2
	Feb. 11	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	1	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	1
	Feb. 18	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.
	Feb. 25	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	2	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	2
City of Cork	Feb. 4	.	.	.	.	.	9	1	—	7	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	—	17*a*
	Feb. 11	1	.	.	.	.	1	.	—	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	—	3*b*
	Feb. 18	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	—	5	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	—	6*a*
	Feb. 25	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	—	3*a*
City of Limerick	Feb. 4	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	3	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	3
	Feb. 11	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	4	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	4
	Feb. 18	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	.
	Feb. 25	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	3	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	3
City of Waterford	Feb. 4	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	.	.
	Feb. 11	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	.	.
	Feb. 18	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	.	.
	Feb. 25	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	.	.

(*a*) Not including one case of Varicella.
(*b*) Not including 2 cases of Varicella.

TABLE IV.—Showing the NUMBER of CASES of the undermentioned DISEASES treated in Dublin Hospitals during the week ended Saturday, 25th February, 1922, with the number under treatment at the close of each of the last four weeks.

Diseases	No. of Cases in Hospital at close of week ended			Week ended 25th February			
	Feb. 4	Feb. 11	Feb. 18	No. admitted.	Dis-charged.	Died.	No. under treatment at close of week.
Enteric Fever, ...	6	7	4	.	2	.	2
Typhus, ...	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Small-pox, ...	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Measles, ...	34	32	27	25	16	.	36
Scarlet Fever, ...	31	35	34	7	7	1	33*
Diphtheria, ...	35	30	34	9	7	.	36
Pneumonia, ...	29	37	34	9	10	1	32

* Exclusive of 14 patients in "Beneavin," the Convalescent Home of Cork Street Fever Hospital.

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TWELVE TOWN DISTRICTS.

The Births and Deaths * registered in the Dublin Registration Area and in eleven provincial Urban Districts of the Irish Free State, with the annual rates per 1,000 of the population represented thereby, which, for the purposes of these Returns, is estimated at 662,256, are given in Table I. The deaths from all causes appertaining to the undermentioned areas for last week and for the past four weeks, respectively, were equal to the following annual rates per 1,000 of the population:—

Twelve Town Districts, 24·0 and 23·6; Dublin Registration Area, 23·1 and 22·3; Dublin City, 25·0 and 23·6; Cork, 23·1 and 23·8; Limerick, 32·5 and 41·0, and Waterford, 28·5 and 27·5.

The deaths* from certain epidemic diseases † registered in the 12 town districts during last week were equal to an annual rate of 2·0 per 1,000. Among the 34 deaths from all causes for Cork are 2 from diphtheria, and one from influenza. The 24 deaths from all causes for Limerick include 3 from diphtheria, one from diarrhœa, and 6 from influenza. One of the 15 deaths from all causes for Waterford is from diarrhœa and enteritis of a child under 2 years and 2 are from influenza. Of the 6 deaths from all causes for Dundalk one is from whooping-cough and one from influenza, and included in the 6 deaths from all causes for Tralee are 2 from diarrhœa and enteritis of children under 2 years and one from influenza.

DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA.

In the Dublin Registration Area the births registered during the week amounted to 252—140 boys and 112 girls—and the deaths to 207—104 males and 103 females.

The deaths registered, omitting the deaths (numbering 18) of persons admitted into public institutions from localities outside the Area, represent an annual rate of mortality of 23·1 per 1,000 of the population. During the nine weeks ending with Saturday last, the death-rate averaged 23·6 and was 0·2 above the mean rate for the corresponding portions of the ten years 1912-21. The rate for all deaths registered during the nine weeks was 25·4 and for the corresponding period of the preceding ten years 25·0.

Included in the 189 deaths appertaining to the Area are 9 from measles, one from scarlet fever, one from whooping-cough, one from diphtheria, 3 from diarrhœa and enteritis of children under 2 years, and 13 from influenza. In the 3 preceding weeks deaths from measles were 7, 6, and 6; deaths from scarlet fever 0, 0, and one: deaths from whooping-cough, 5, 0 and one, ; deaths from diarrhœa and enteritis of children under 2 years 3, 3, and 3; and deaths from influenza 11, 7, and 9. There were no deaths from diphtheria registered in the three preceding weeks.

There were 23 deaths from pneumonia, comprising 16 from broncho-pneumonia, 3 from lobar-pneumonia, and 4 from pneumonia (type not distinguished).

Tuberculous disease caused 20 deaths (including 13 from pulmonary tuberculosis, one from tuberculous meningitis and 6 from other forms of tuberculous disease), as against 22, 21, and 18 from all forms of tuberculous disease in the 3 weeks preceding.

Five deaths were caused by cancer, 12 by organic diseases of the heart, and 37 by bronchitis.

Five accidental deaths were recorded, of which one was caused by poisoning from methylated spirit, and there was one case of homicide.

Among deaths of infants under one year old, 2 were due to measles, one to whooping-cough, one to convulsions, 3 to bronchitis, 8 to broncho-pneumonia, 2 to pneumonia, one to diarrhœa and enteritis, one to congenital malformation, 2 to premature birth, and one to congenital debility.

Fifty-seven of the deaths registered during the week, appertaining to the Area, were those of children under 5 years of age, 29 being infants under one year, of whom 5 were under one month old, and 49 deaths were those of persons aged 65 and upwards, of whom 36 were 70 years of age or over.

Of the 189 deaths recorded, 57 occurred in hospitals and other public institutions.

ENGLAND AND SCOTLAND.

The mortality among civilians for the week ended 4th March, in 105 large English towns (including London in which the rate was 16·3) was equal to an average annual death rate of 15·7 per 1,000 of the estimated civil population.

The average death-rate for 16 principal towns of Scotland was 19·5 per 1,000 persons living, the rate for Glasgow being 20·5 and for Edinburgh 17·4.

* Exclusive of the deaths of persons admitted into public institutions from without the respective districts.
† Enteric fever, typhus, small-pox, measles, scarlet fever, whooping-cough, diphtheria, dysentery, and diarrhœal diseases.

TABLE I.—BIRTHS and DEATHS registered during the week ending Saturday, 4th March, 1922, in the DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA, in each of the under-mentioned 11 CITIES OR URBAN DISTRICTS, and in BELFAST and LONDONDERRY CITIES (exclusive of Deaths in Public Institutions of Persons admitted from other Districts), the Number of Deaths from some of the PRINCIPAL CAUSES, and the Number of Uncertified Deaths, with the Temperature and Rainfall for the week; also statistics regarding Births, Deaths and Meteorology in London, Edinburgh, and Glasgow.

TOWNS AND DISTRICTS.	POPULATION. Total (a)	Persons to an Acre.	Annual Rate per 1,000 Persons Represented by BIRTHS.	DEATHS. From all Causes.	DEATHS. From certain Epidemic Diseases. (b)	BIRTHS Total Number	DEATHS Total Number	Under 1 year of Age.	At 65 years and upwards.	Enteric Fever.	Typhus.	Small-pox.	Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Whooping-cough.	Diphtheria.	Dysentery.	Influenza.	Tuberculosis. Pulmonary.	Tuberculosis. Other Forms.	Cancer.	Diseases of the Respiratory System. Pneumonia.	Diseases of the Respiratory System. Other.	Diarrhœa and Enteritis of children under 2 years of age.	Diarrhœa, 2 years of age and upwards.	Violence.	Inquest Cases.	No. of Deaths in Public Institutions.	Number of Uncertified Deaths.	Meteorology (c) Week ending 4th March, 1922. Air Temperature. Absolute Highest.	Absolute Lowest.	Mean Maximum (A).	Mean Minimum (B).	Mean of (A) and (B).	Rainfall in Inches.
COLS.	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)	(14)	(15)	(16)	(17)	(18)	(19)	(20)	(21)	(22)	(23)	(24)	(25)	(26)	(27)	(28)	(29)	(30)	(31)	(32)	(33)	(34)	(35)
TOTAL OF 12 TOWN DISTRICTS ...	662,256	18·9	28·9	24·0	2·0	367	305	45	82	.	.	.	9	1	2	6	.	26	23	9	10	30	55	6	1	7	10	97	17	.	.	.	.	.	.
DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA	427,000	30·5	30·8	23·1	1·8	252	189	29	49	.	.	.	9	1	1	1	.	13	13	7	5	23	42	3	.	6	9	57	2	(d) 54·5	34·7	51·7	38·7	45·2	0·48
Urban Districts. CITY OF DUBLIN	327,000	40·0	34·9	25·0	2·4	219	157	28	34	.	.	.	9	1	1	1	.	9	12	7	2	20	37	3	.	6	9	48	1	(e) 55·2 (f) 55·2	37·1 36·0	50·8 52·4	41·2 39·1	46·0 45·7	0·33 0·30
Urban Districts. RATHMINES and RATHGAR ...	41,500	24·2	15·1	15·1	.	12	12	1	8	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	2	1	3	.	.	.	.	3	1	.	.	.	.	.	.
Urban Districts. PEMBROKE ...	31,100	19·8	20·1	20·1	.	12	12	.	5	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	1	2	2	.	.	.	.	6	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Urban Districts. BLACKROCK ...	9,900	9·1	5·3	15·8	.	1	3	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Urban Districts. DÚN LAOGHAIRE	17,500	12·0	23·8	14·9	.	8	5	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	55	38	53·7	40·0	46·8	0·37
Urban Districts. CORK	76,673	28·6	32·0	23·1	1·4	47	34	5	8	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	1	8	.	1	3	1	.	.	.	.	16	6	53	38	50·1	42·0	46·1	1·30
Urban Districts. LIMERICK ...	38,518	16·1	10·8	32·5	5·4	8	24	4	5	.	.	.	.	.	.	3	.	6	.	.	.	1	7	.	1	.	.	9	1	.	.	.	.	.	.
Urban Districts. WATERFORD ...	27,464	19·1	22·8	28·5	1·9	12	15	2	6	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	2	1	2	.	1	1	.	1	1	6	1	.	.	.	.	.	.
Urban Districts. GALWAY	13,255	2.5	The annual rates			7	3	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	54	34	52·7	35·7	44·2	0·86
Urban Districts. DUNDALK ...	13,128	9·5	represented by the			11	6	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	1	.	.	1	2	1	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Urban Districts. DROGHEDA ...	12,501	8·4	numbers of births			6	11	1	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	2	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Urban Districts. WEXFORD ...	11,531	22·8	and deaths regis-			4	4	1	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.
Urban Districts. SLIGO	11,163	3·8	tered for these			5	4	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	54	31	49	36	42·5	1·23
Urban Districts. KILKENNY ...	10,514	11·4	urban districts will			3	5	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	2	55	32	52·1	36·0	44·1	0·43
Urban Districts. TRALEE ...	10,300	17·4	be shown in the			3	6	2	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	.	4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Urban Districts. CLONMEL	10,209	4·8	Quarterly Summary of the Weekly Returns.			9	4	1	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.
BELFAST CITY	425,000	24·3	31·5	21·6	1·1	257	176	39	50	.	.	.	2	.	1	2	.	19	17	1	7	21	21	4	.	9	11	51	5	55·0	30·8	53·0	39·0	46·0	0·60
LONDONDERRY CITY ...	46,000	36·3	19·3	19·3	.	17	17	5	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	2	.	.	2	3	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
LONDON	4,476,238	—	—	16·3	—	1,817	1,398	180	464	1	—	.	48	7	53	24	—	—	103	24	126	157	170	18	3	52	109	683	3	58	39	54·4	44·0	49·2	0·71
EDINBURGH	420,486	—	—	17·4	1·1	191	140	23	58	.	—	.	.	1	3	4	—	8	—	—	—	16		1	—	5	—	—	—	54·0	34·0	48·6	36·9	42·7	0·75
GLASGOW	1,037,845	—	—	20·5	3·1	607	408 g	87	90	.	—	.	50	2	1	3	—	16	—	—	—	96		6	—	6	—	—	—	51·2	36·6	48·3	39·0	43·6	0·65

(a) According to the Census of 1911, but in the cases of the Dublin Registration Area and its component parts, the population given is that estimated to the middle of 1922. The estimate shown for London relates to the civil population in 1921. The population for Glasgow and Edinburgh is that provisionally estimated to the middle of 1922. (b) See note (†) at foot of first page. (c) The observations shown for Sligo were taken at Markree, and those for Cork at Roche's Point. (d) Observations at Ordnance Survey Office, Phœnix Park. (e) Observations by Sir John Moore, taken at Fitzwilliam Square. (f) Observations by Sir Frederick W. Moore, taken at the Botanic Gardens, Glasnevin. (g) Including one death from cerebro-spinal meningitis.

TABLE II.—Showing for the WEEK ENDED 4TH MARCH, 1922, the number of DEATHS of Residents of the several REGISTRARS' DISTRICTS in the DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA, and in the CITY OF CORK, the annual Rate per 1,000 of the Population of the respective Districts represented thereby, and by the Deaths from the principal Epidemic Diseases†; with the mortality from some of the principal causes; also the Deaths at certain age-periods, and the number of Uncertified Deaths, *the Deaths in Public Institutions being assigned to the Districts from which the deceased were admitted.*

REGISTRARS' DISTRICTS, &c.	Estimated Population middle of 1922.*	Annual Rate of Mortality per 1,000 Living represented by Deaths. From all causes	From certain Epidemic Diseases†	Total Deaths.	Under 1 year.	1 and under 2.	2 and under 5.	5 and under 15.	15 and under 25.	25 and under 45.	45 and under 65.	65 and upwards.	Enteric Fever.	Typhus.	Small-pox.	Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Whooping-cough.	Diphtheria.	Dysentery.	Influenza.	Tuberculosis. Pulmonary.	Tuberculosis. Other Forms.	Cancer.	Diseases of Respiratory System. Pneumonia.	Diseases of Respiratory System. Other.	Diarrhœa and Enteritis of Children under 2 years.	Diarrhœa, 2 years and upwards.	Violence.	Other Causes.	Inquest Cases.	In Institutions. In Hospitals, Prisons and Lunatic Asylums.	In Institutions. In Workhouse Hospitals.	Number of Uncertified Deaths.
					DEATHS.								CAUSED BY																					
Cols.	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)	(14)	(15)	(16)	(17)	(18)	(19)	(20)	(21)	(22)	(23)	(24)	(25)	(26)	(27)	(28)	(29)	(30)	(31)	(32)	(33)	34)
DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA.																																		
Dublin City Districts. North City, No. 1, E.	31,600	38·0	6·6	23	7	2	2	.	2	1	3	6	.	.	.	2	.	.	.	.	1	1	1	.	4	4	2	.	.	8	2	3	.	.
,, 1, W.	43,300	28·9	1·2	24	3	2	3	.	.	2	7	7	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	4	.	1	.	5	5	.	.	.	8	1	3	4	.
,, 2	29,000	27·0	.	15	2	4	1	1	.	2	4	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	4	.	2	3	.	.	1	5	1	2	5	1
,, 3	35,900	18·9	5·8	13	3	.	2	.	.	3	4	1	.	.	.	2	.	1	1	.	2	2	.	.	1	1	.	.	1	2	1	2	1	.
Clontarf and Howth, No. 1, part of	5,800	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Coolock and Drumcondra, part of	14,300	21·9	.	6	1	.	.	.	.	.	4	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	1	.	.	.	3	.	1	1	.
Finglas and Glasnevin, part of	11,700	17·8	.	4	1	.	.	.	1	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	2	.	1	.	.
South City, No. 1	45,300	17·3	3·5	15	3	2	2	.	1	4	2	1	.	.	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	3	1	1	2	.	1	.	.	5	.	4	2	.
,, 2	19,100	30·0	.	11	1	1	1	.	.	1	3	4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	2	8	.	.	.	.	.	1	4	.
,, 3	45,600	19·4	2·3	17	3	3	1	1	1	.	5	3	.	.	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	2	6	.	.	1	5	1	1	1	.
,, 4	34,500	36·3	1·5	24	4	.	1	1	2	4	7	5	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	2	3	.	.	1	6	.	.	3	8	3	8	3	.
New Kilmainham	10,900	23·9	.	5	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	5	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	.	3	.	1	.	.
Urban Districts. Rathmines and Rathgar	41,500	15·1	.	12	1	.	.	.	1	.	2	8	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	2	1	3	.	.	.	5	.	3	.	1
Pembroke	31,100	20·1	.	12	.	.	.	.	1	.	6	5	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	1	2	2	.	.	.	5	.	3	3	.
Blackrock	9,900	15·8	.	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	.	.
Dún Laoghaire	17,500	14·9	.	5	.	.	1	.	.	.	3	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	4	.	.	.	.
Total City of Dublin	327,000	25·0	2·4	157	28	14	13	3	7	18	40	34	.	.	.	9	1	1	1	.	9	12	7	2	20	37	3	.	6	49	9	27	21	1
Total Urban Districts	100,000	16·7	.	32	1	.	1	.	2	.	13	15	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	4	1	.	3	3	5	.	.	.	16	.	6	3	1
Total Dublin Registration Area	427,000	23·1	1·8	189	29	14	14	3	9	18	53	49	.	.	.	9	1	1	1	.	13	13	7	5	23	42	3	.	6	65	9	33	24	2
Deaths relating to residents of localities situated outside the Registration Area (not included in above)				18	.	.	.	.	3	4	6	5	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	2	1	3	1	1	.	.	.	8	.	15	3	.
CITY OF CORK.																																		
Cork City Districts. Cork Urban, No. 1	13,455	34·9	.	9	.	1		3		3	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	5	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	2	.	6		.
,, 2	10,399	15·0	5·0	3	.	1		.		.	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	.		1
,, 3	9,793	26·6	.	5	2	.		1		1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	2	.	3		1
,, 4	9,139	28·5	.	5	2	.		.		.	.	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	4	.	1		1
,, 5	6,250	8·3	.	1	.	.		.		.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.		1
,, 6	11,581	22·5	4·5	5	1	1		2		.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	1	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	2	.	3		1
,, 7	16,056	19·5	.	6	.	.		1		.	3	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	5	.	3		1
Total City of Cork	76,673	23·1	1·4	34	5	3		7		4	7	8	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	1	8	.	1	3	1	.	.	.	18	.	16		6

* The populations given for the City of Cork and its component parts are those according to the Census of 1911.

† See note (†) at foot of first page.

TABLE III.—Showing the NUMBER of CASES of INFECTIOUS DISEASES notified in the Dublin Registration Area (viz. :—the City of Dublin, and the Urban Districts of Rathmines and Rathgar, Pembroke, Blackrock and Dún Laoghaire), and in the Cities of Cork, Limerick, and Waterford, during the week ended 4th March, 1922, and each of the preceding three weeks, as furnished by the respective Sanitary Authorities. A dash (—) denotes that the disease in question is not notifiable in the District.

CITIES AND URBAN DISTRICTS.	Week ending	Enteric Fever.	Typhus.	Pyrexia—Continued Fever.	Relapsing Fever.	Small-pox.	Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Whooping-cough.	Diphtheria (including Membranous Croup).	Erysipelas.	Puerperal Fever.	Diarrhœal Diseases.	Dysentery.	Malaria.	Trench Fever.	Acute Primary Pneumonia and Acute Influenzal Pneumonia.	Cerebro-spinal Fever.	Acute Poliomyelitis.	Encephalitis Lethargica	Tuberculosis.	Total.
City of Dublin	Feb. 11	.	.	.	.	.	—	1	—	2	2	.	—	.	.	.	5	.	.	—	22	32
	Feb. 18	.	.	.	.	.	—	7	—	3	2	.	—	.	.	.	6	.	.	—	4	22
	Feb. 25	.	.	.	.	.	—	4	—	3	2	.	—	.	.	.	7	.	.	—	10	26
	Mar. 4	.	.	.	.	.	—	4	—	2	4	.	—	2	.	.	7	.	.	—	19	38
Rathmines & Rathgar Urban District	Feb. 11	.	.	.	.	.	—	3	—	4	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	7
	Feb. 18	.	.	.	.	.	—	2	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	2
	Feb. 25	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	2	.	.	—	.	.	.	1	.	.	—	—	3
	Mar. 4	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	.
Pembroke Urban District	Feb. 11	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	1
	Feb. 18	.	.	.	.	.	4	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	4
	Feb, 25	.	.	.	.	.	3	1	.	1	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	5
	Mar. 4	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	1	3	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	6
Blackrock Urban District	Feb. 11	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.
	Feb. 18	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.
	Feb. 25	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.
	Mar. 4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.
Dún Laoghaire Urban District	Feb 11	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	1	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	1
	Feb. 18	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.
	Feb. 25	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	2	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	2
	Mar. 4	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	2	2
City of Cork	Feb. 11	1	.	.	.	.	1	.	—	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	—	3*a*
	Feb. 18	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	—	5	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	—	6*b*
	Feb. 25	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	—	3*b*
	Mar. 4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	5	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	—	5
City of Limerick	Feb. 11	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	4	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	4
	Feb. 18	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	.
	Feb. 25	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	3	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	3
	Mar. 4	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	.
City of Waterford	Feb. 11	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	.	.
	Feb. 18	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	.	.
	Feb. 25	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	.	.
	Mar. 4	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	.	.

(*a*) Not including 2 cases of Varicella.
(*b*) Not including one case of Varicella.

TABLE IV.—Showing the NUMBER of CASES of the undermentioned DISEASES treated in Dublin Hospitals during the week ended Saturday, 4th March, 1922, with the number under treatment at the close of each of the last four weeks.

DISEASES	No. of Cases in Hospital at close of week ended			Week ended 4th March			
	Feb. 11	Feb. 18	Feb. 25	No. admitted.	Dis-charged.	Died.	No. under treatment at close of week.
Enteric Fever, ...	7	4	2	1	.	1	2
Typhus, ...	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Small-pox, ...	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Measles, ...	32	27	36	16	6	.	46
Scarlet Fever, ...	35	34	33	3	3	1	32*
Diphtheria, ...	30	34	36	4	11	.	29
Pneumonia, ...	37	34	32	11	8	1	34

* Exclusive of 10 patients in "Beneavin," the Convalescent Home of Cork Street Fever Hospital.

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TWELVE TOWN DISTRICTS.

The Births and Deaths * registered in the Dublin Registration Area and in eleven provincial Urban Districts of the Irish Free State, with the annual rates per 1,000 of the population represented thereby, which, for the purposes of these Returns, is estimated at 662,256, are given in Table I. The deaths from all causes appertaining to the undermentioned areas for last week and for the past four weeks, respectively, were equal to the following annual rates per 1,000 of the population:—

Twelve Town Districts, 20·9 and 23·4; Dublin Registration Area, 21·1 and 22·6; Dublin City, 23·1 and 24·1; Cork, 18·4 and 20·9; Limerick, 20·3 and 39·3, and Waterford, 13·3 and 23·7.

The deaths* from certain epidemic diseases † registered in the 12 town districts during last week were equal to an annual rate of 1·6 per 1,000. Among the 27 deaths from all causes for Cork are one from diphtheria, and one from influenza, and the 7 deaths from all causes for Sligo include 2 from influenza.

DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA.

In the Dublin Registration Area the births registered during the week amounted to 212—119 boys and 93 girls—and the deaths to 188—97 males and 91 females.

The deaths registered, omitting the deaths (numbering 15) of persons admitted into public institutions from localities outside the Area, represent an annual rate of mortality of 21·1 per 1,000 of the population. During the ten weeks ending with Saturday last, the death-rate averaged 23·4 and was 0·4 below the mean rate for the corresponding portions of the ten years 1912-21. The rate for all deaths registered during the ten weeks was 25·1 and for the corresponding period of the preceding ten years 25·5.

Included in the 173 deaths appertaining to the Area are 11 from measles, one from diphtheria, 4 from diarrhœa and enteritis of children under 2 years, and 4 from influenza. In the 3 preceding weeks deaths from measles were 6, 6, and 9; deaths from diphtheria 0, 0, and one; deaths from diarrhœa and enteritis of children under 2 years 3, 3, and 3; and deaths from influenza 7, 9 and 13.

There were 25 deaths from pneumonia, comprising 18 from broncho-pneumonia, one from lobar pneumonia, and 6 from pneumonia (type not distinguished).

Tuberculous disease caused 22 deaths (including 16 from pulmonary tuberculosis, 4 from tuberculous meningitis and 2 from other forms of tuberculous disease), as against 21, 18, and 20 from all forms of tuberculous disease in the 3 weeks preceding.

Eleven deaths were caused by cancer, 12 by organic diseases of the heart, and 24 by bronchitis.

One accidental death was recorded, and there were 2 cases of homicide and one of suicide.

Among deaths of infants under one year old, 4 were due to measles, 2 to influenza, 2 to pulmonary tuberculosis, one to tuberculous meningitis, 3 to convulsions, 5 to bronchitis, 9 to broncho-pneumonia, 5 to pneumonia, 3 to diarrhœa and enteritis, 8 to premature birth, and 3 to congenital debility.

Sixty-six of the deaths registered during the week, appertaining to the Area, were those of children under 5 years of age, 47 being infants under one year, of whom 15 were under one month old, and 35 deaths were those of persons aged 65 and upwards, of whom 26 were 70 years of age or over.

Of the 173 deaths recorded, 63 occurred in hospitals and other public institutions.

ENGLAND AND SCOTLAND.

The mortality among civilians for the week ended 11th March, in 105 large English towns (including London in which the rate was 14·4) was equal to an average annual death rate of 13·7 per 1,000 of the estimated civil population.

The average death-rate for 16 principal towns of Scotland was 16·7 per 1,000 persons living, the rate for Glasgow being 17·3 and for Edinburgh 16·9.

* Exclusive of the deaths of persons admitted into public institutions from without the respective districts.
† Enteric fever, typhus, small-pox, measles, scarlet fever, whooping-cough, diphtheria, dysentery, and diarrhœal diseases.

TABLE I.—BIRTHS and DEATHS registered during the week ending Saturday, 11th March, 1922, in the DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA, in each of the under-mentioned 11 CITIES OR URBAN DISTRICTS, and in BELFAST and LONDONDERRY CITIES (exclusive of Deaths in Public Institutions of Persons admitted from other Districts), the Number of Deaths from some of the PRINCIPAL CAUSES, and the Number of Uncertified Deaths, with the Temperature and Rainfall for the week; also statistics regarding Births, Deaths and Meteorology in London, Edinburgh, and Glasgow.

TOWNS AND DISTRICTS.	POPULATION. Total (a)	Persons to an Acre.	REGISTRATION—WEEK ENDING SATURDAY, 11TH MARCH, 1922. Annual Rate per 1,000 Persons Represented by BIRTHS	DEATHS. From all Causes.	DEATHS. From certain Epidemic Diseases. (b)	NUMBERS REGISTERED. BIRTHS Total Number	DEATHS. Total Number.	Under 1 year of Age.	At 65 years and upwards.	Caused by Enteric Fever.	Typhus.	Small-pox.	Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Whooping-cough.	Diphtheria.	Dysentery.	Influenza.	Tuberculosis. Pulmonary.	Other Forms.	Cancer.	Diseases of the Respiratory System. Pneumonia.	Other.	Diarrhœa and Enteritis of children under 2 years of age.	Diarrhœa, 2 years of age and upwards.	Violence.	Inquest Cases.	No. of Deaths in Public Institutions.	Number of Uncertified Deaths.	METEOROLOGY. (c) WEEK ENDING 11TH MARCH, 1922. Air Temperature. Absolute Highest.	Absolute Lowest.	Mean Maximum (A).	Mean Minimum (B).	Mean of (A) and (B).	Rainfall in Inches.
COLS.	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)	(14)	(15)	(16)	(17)	(18)	(19)	(20)	(21)	(22)	(23)	(24)	(25)	(26)	(27)	(28)	(29)	(30)	(31)	(32)	(33)	(34)	(35)
TOTAL OF 12 TOWN DISTRICTS ...	662,256	18·9	29·9	20·9	1·6	380	266	58	65	.	.	.	11	.	.	2	.	9	24	9	17	29	35	7	.	5	7	95	13	.	.	.	.	.	.
DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA	427,000	30·5	25·9	21·1	2·0	212	173	47	35	.	.	.	11	.	.	1	.	4	16	6	11	25	24	4	.	4	5	63	4	(d) 53·1	35·1	49·6	38·8	44·2	0·28
Urban Districts. CITY OF DUBLIN	327,000	40·0	27·3	23·1	2·2	171	145	41	26	.	.	.	10	.	.	1	.	3	14	4	9	21	21	3	.	3	4	52	3	(e) 54·3 (f) 53·8	34·9 33·0	49·3 49·8	38 8 37·8	44·0 43·8	0·20 0·33
Urban Districts. RATHMINES and RATHGAR ...	41,500	24·2	23·9	15·1	1·3	19	12	3	4	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	1	1	.	.	1	1	4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Urban Districts. PEMBROKE ...	31,100	19·8	20·1	20·1	1·7	12	12	2	4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	1	3	2	1	.	.	.	5	1	.	.	.	.	.	.
Urban Districts. BLACKROCK ...	9,900	9·1	15·8	10·5	.	3	2	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Urban Districts. DÚN LAOGHAIRE	17,500	12·0	20·9	6·0	.	7	2	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	56	36	52·1	38·5	45·3	0·17
Urban Districts. CORK	76,673	28·6	25·2	18·4	0·7	37	27	1	7	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	4	.	4	.	3	.	.	.	.	12	3	51	35	49·1	40 3	44·7	0·35
Urban Districts. LIMERICK ...	38,518	16·1	58·2	20·3	.	43	15	1	8	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	1	.	1	3	.	.	.	.	6	1	.	.	.	.	.	.
Urban Districts. WATERFORD ...	27,464	19·1	19·0	13·3	1·9	10	7	2	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	1	.	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Urban Districts. GALWAY	13,255	2.5	The annual rates represented by the numbers of births and deaths registered for these urban districts will be shown in the Quarterly Summary of the Weekly Returns.			9	6	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	1	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	3	.	53	33	50·7	35·0	42·9	0·98
Urban Districts. DUNDALK ...	13,128	9·5				26	6	1	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	1	1	2	1	.	.	.	.	.	.
Urban Districts. DROGHEDA ...	12,501	8·4				5	4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.
Urban Districts. WEXFORD ...	11,531	22·8				11	7	3	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Urban Districts. SLIGO	11,163	3·8				4	7	1	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	2	51	30	48	36	42	0·91
Urban Districts. KILKENNY ...	10,514	11·4				14	5	1	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	.	.	2	1	52	31	49·2	35·4	42·3	0·37
Urban Districts. TRALEE ...	10,300	17·4				8	5	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	1	1	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Urban Districts. CLONMEL	10,209	4·8				1	4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
BELFAST CITY	425,000	24·3	24·4	17·3	1·2	199	141g	22	30	..	.	.	1	.	4	.	.	9	16	2	9	9	15	3	2	1	7	45	3	51·0	31·4	48·8	34·3	41·6	0·80
LONDONDERRY CITY ...	46,000	36·3	37·4	21·5	.	33	19	3	7	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	2	4	.	.	.	.	.	2	1	.	.	.	.	.	.
LONDON	4,476,238	—	—	14·4	—	1,942	1,239	177	422	1	—	.	50	5	38	38	—	—	86	23	103	331	116	12	1	37	87	632	1	55	30	50·3	39·0	44·7	0·54
EDINBURGH	420,486	—	—	16·9	1·1	157	136	23	64	.	—	.	1	.	4	1	—	5	—	—	—	25		3	—	6	—	—	—	51·0	34·0	46·1	37·0	41·6	0·58
GLASGOW	1,037,845	—	—	17·3	2·8	623	345	66	87	.	—	.	44	4	2	3	—	5	—	—	—	74		3	—	21	—	—	—	50·9	33·3	47·6	36·7	42·1	0·52

(a) According to the Census of 1911, but in the cases of the Dublin Registration Area and its component parts, the population given is that estimated to the middle of 1922. The estimate shown for London relates to the civil population in 1921. The population for Glasgow and Edinburgh is that provisionally estimated to the middle of 1922. (b) See note (†) at foot of first page. (c) The observations shown for Sligo were taken at Markree, and those for Cork at Roche's Point. (d) Observations at Ordnance Survey Office, Phœnix Park. (e) Observations by Sir John Moore, taken at Fitzwilliam Square. (f) Observations by Sir Frederick W. Moore, taken at the Botanic Gardens, Glasnevin. (g) Including one death from cerebro-spinal meningitis.

TABLE II.—Showing for the WEEK ENDED 11TH MARCH, 1922, the number of DEATHS of Residents of the several REGISTRARS' DISTRICTS in the DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA, and in the CITY OF CORK, the annual Rate per 1,000 of the Population of the respective Districts represented thereby, and by the Deaths from the principal Epidemic Diseases†; with the mortality from some of the principal causes; also the Deaths at certain age-periods, and the number of Uncertified Deaths, *the Deaths in Public Institutions being assigned to the Districts from which the deceased were admitted.*

WEEK ENDED SATURDAY 11TH MARCH, 1922.

REGISTRARS' DISTRICTS, &c.	Estimated Population middle of 1922.*	Annual Rate of Mortality per 1,000 Living represented by Deaths. From all causes	From certain Epidemic Diseases†	Total Deaths.	Under 1 year.	1 and under 2.	2 and under 5.	5 and under 15.	15 and under 25.	25 and under 45.	45 and under 65.	65 and upwards.	Enteric Fever.	Typhus.	Small-pox.	Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Whooping-cough.	Diphtheria.	Dysentery.	Influenza.	Tuberculosis. Pulmonary.	Tuberculosis. Other Forms.	Cancer.	Diseases of Respiratory System. Pneumonia.	Diseases of Respiratory System. Other.	Diarrhœa and Enteritis of Children under 2 years.	Diarrhœa, 2 years and upwards.	Violence.	Other Causes.	Inquest Cases.	In Institutions. In Hospitals, Prisons and Lunatic Asylums.	In Institutions. In Workhouse Hospitals.	Number of Uncertified Deaths.
Cols.	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)	(14)	(15)	(16)	(17)	(18)	(19)	(20)	(21)	(22)	(23)	(24)	(25)	(26)	(27)	(28)	(29)	(30)	(31)	(32)	(33)	(34)
DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA.																																		
Dublin City Districts. North City, No. 1, E.	31,600	28·1	5·0	17	10	1	1	.	.	3	2	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	5	.	1	.	.	8	1	3	.	1
" 1, W.	43,300	16·9	1·2	14	3	1	.	1	.	2	4	3	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	1	1	4	.	.	1	4	1	1	3	.
" 2	29,000	19·8	1·8	11	.	1	1	.	.	4	3	2	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	2	.	.	.	1	6	1	2	.	.
" 3	35,900	13·1	.	9	3	1	.	.	1	1	2	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	2	2	.	.	.	3	.	2	1	.
Clontarf and Howth, No. 1, part of	5,800	27·0	.	3	1	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	2	.	1	.	.
Coolock and Drumcondra, part of	14,300	18·2	.	5	.	.	.	1	.	.	2	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	3	.	1	.	.
Finglas and Glasnevin, part of	11,700	17·8	.	4	1	1	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	1	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.
South City, No. 1	45,300	19·6	1·2	17	8	2	.	1	.	2	.	4	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	2	3	.	.	.	10	.	4	1	.
" 2	19,100	30·0	2·7	11	3	.	1	1	1	1	2	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	4	.	.	.	2	.	.	.	4	.	3	5	.
" 3	45,600	37·7	6·9	33	6	4	1	1	2	6	6	7	.	.	.	4	.	.	.	.	.	5	1	4	2	5	2	.	1	9	1	11	6	1
" 4	34,500	21·2	1·5	14	3	2	.	.	2	1	3	3	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	2	4	.	.	.	5	.	4	3	.
New Kilmainham	10,900	33·5	.	7	3	.	.	.	.	1	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	1	.	.	3	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	1
Urban Districts. Rathmines and Rathgar	41,500	15·1	1·3	12	3	1	.	.	.	2	2	4	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	1	1	.	.	1	6	1	4	.	.
Pembroke	31,100	20·1	1·7	12	2	1	.	.	2	1	2	4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	1	3	2	1	.	.	3	.	5	.	1
Blackrock	9,900	10·5	.	2	1	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.
Dún Laoghaire	17,500	6·0	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	1	.
Total City of Dublin	327,000	23·1	2·2	145	41	13	4	5	6	23	27	26	.	.	.	10	.	.	1	.	3	14	4	9	21	21	3	.	3	56	4	33	19	3
Total Urban Districts	100,000	14·6	1·0	28	6	2	.	.	2	3	6	9	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	1	2	2	2	4	3	1	.	1	11	1	10	1	1
Total Dublin Registration Area	427,000	21·1	2·0	173	47	15	4	5	8	26	33	35	.	.	.	11	.	.	1	.	4	16	6	11	25	24	4	.	4	67	5	43	20	4
Deaths relating to residents of localities situated outside the Registration Area (not included in above)				15	3	1	.	.	3	3	2	3	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	1	1	.	.	2	2	.	.	.	7	.	13	2	.
CITY OF CORK.																																		
Cork City Districts. Cork Urban, No. 1	13,455	3·9	.	1	.		.		.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	1		.
" 2	10,399	.	.	.	.		.		.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.		.
" 3	9,793	21·3	.	4	.		.		1	2	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	2	.	2		.
" 4	9,139	34·2	5·7	6	.		1		.	1	3	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	2		1
" 5	6,250	33·4	.	4	.		.		.	.	1	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	4	.	2		1
" 6	11,581	22·5	.	5	.		1		2	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	3	.	.		1
" 7	16,056	22·7	.	7	1		.		.	2	2	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	3	.	1	.	.	.	3	.	5		.
Total City of Cork	76,673	18·4	0·7	27	1		2		3	6	8	7	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	4	.	4	.	3	.	.	.	14	.	12		3

* The populations given for the City of Cork and its component parts are those according to the Census of 1911.

† See note (†) at foot of first page.

TABLE III.—Showing the NUMBER of CASES of INFECTIOUS DISEASES notified in the Dublin Registration Area (viz. :—the City of Dublin, and the Urban Districts of Rathmines and Rathgar, Pembroke, Blackrock and Dún Laoghaire), and in the Cities of Cork, Limerick, and Waterford, during the week ended 11th March, 1922, and each of the preceding three weeks, as furnished by the respective Sanitary Authorities. A dash (—) denotes that the disease in question is not notifiable in the District.

CITIES AND URBAN DISTRICTS.	Week ending	Enteric Fever.	Typhus.	Pyrexia—Continued Fever.	Relapsing Fever.	Small-pox.	Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Whooping-cough.	Diphtheria (including Membranous Croup).	Erysipelas.	Puerperal Fever.	Diarrhœal Diseases.	Dysentery.	Malaria.	Trench Fever.	Acute Primary Pneumonia and Acute Influenzal Pneumonia.	Cerebro-spinal Fever.	Acute Poliomyelitis.	Encephalitis Lethargica	Tuberculosis.	Total.
City of Dublin	Feb. 18	.	.	.	.	.	—	7	—	3	2	.	—	.	.	.	6	.	.	—	4	22
	Feb. 25	.	.	.	.	.	—	4	—	3	2	.	—	.	.	.	7	.	.	—	10	26
	Mar. 4	.	.	.	.	.	—	4	—	2	4	.	—	2	.	.	7	.	.	—	19	38
	Mar. 11	1	.	.	.	.	—	3	—	6	4	.	—	.	.	.	2	.	.	—	16	32
Rathmines & Rathgar Urban District	Feb. 18	.	.	.	.	.	—	2	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	2
	Feb. 25	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	2	.	.	—	.	.	.	1	.	.	—	—	3
	Mar. 4	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	.
	Mar. 11	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	2	4	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	6
Pembroke Urban District	Feb. 18	.	.	.	.	.	4	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	4
	Feb. 25	.	.	.	.	.	3	1	.	1	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	5
	Mar. 4	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	1	3	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	6
	Mar. 11	.	.	.	.	.	7	.	.	1	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	8
Blackrock Urban District	Feb. 18	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.
	Feb. 25	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.
	Mar. 4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.
	Mar. 11	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	1
Dún Laoghaire Urban District	Feb 18	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.
	Feb. 25	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	2	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	2
	Mar. 4	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	2	2
	Mar. 11	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.
City of Cork	Feb. 18	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	—	5	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	—	6*a*
	Feb. 25	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	—	3*a*
	Mar. 4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	5	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	—	5
	Mar. 11	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	—	5	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	—	6*a*
City of Limerick	Feb. 18	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	.
	Feb. 25	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	3	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	3
	Mar. 4	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	.
	Mar. 11	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	.
City of Waterford	Feb. 18	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	.	.
	Feb. 25	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	.	.
	Mar. 4	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	.	.
	Mar. 11	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	.	.

(*a*) Not including one case of Varicella.

TABLE IV.—Showing the NUMBER of CASES of the undermentioned DISEASES treated in Dublin Hospitals during the week ended Saturday, 11th March, 1922, with the number under treatment at the close of each of the last four weeks.

DISEASES	No. of Cases in Hospital at close of week ended			Week ended 11th March			
	Feb. 18	Feb. 25	Mar. 4	No. admitted.	Dis-charged.	Died.	No. under treatment at close of week.
Enteric Fever, ...	4	2	2	1	.	.	3
Typhus, ...	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Small-pox, ...	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Measles, ...	27	36	46	18	12	1	51
Scarlet Fever, ...	34	33	32	4	9	1	26*
Diphtheria, ...	34	36	29	8	9	1	27
Pneumonia, ...	34	32	34	10	7	2	35

* Exclusive of 12 patients in "Beneavin," the Convalescent Home of Cork Street Fever Hospital.

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TWELVE TOWN DISTRICTS.

The Births and Deaths * registered in the Dublin Registration Area and in eleven provincial Urban Districts of the Irish Free State, with the annual rates per 1,000 of the population represented thereby, which, for the purposes of these Returns, is estimated at 662,256, are given in Table I. The deaths from all causes appertaining to the undermentioned areas for last week and for the past four weeks, respectively, were equal to the following annual rates per 1,000 of the population:—

Twelve Town Districts, 21·4 and 23·1; Dublin Registration Area, 22·7 and 23·0; Dublin City, 24·9 and 24·5; Cork, 21·1 and 20·3; Limerick, 21·7 and 35·5, and Waterford, 19·0 and 23·3.

The deaths* from certain epidemic diseases † registered in the 12 town districts during last week were equal to an annual rate of 1·7 per 1,000. Among the 16 deaths from all causes for Limerick are one from diarrhœa and enteritis of a child under 2 years and 4 from influenza. The 3 deaths from all causes for Sligo include 2 from influenza, and 2 of the 3 deaths from all causes for Tralee are from the same disease.

DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA.

In the Dublin Registration Area the births registered during the week amounted to 205—107 boys and 98 girls—and the deaths to 197—102 males and 95 females.

The deaths registered, omitting the deaths (numbering 11) of persons admitted into public institutions from localities outside the Area, represent an annual rate of mortality of 22·7 per 1,000 of the population. During the eleven weeks ending with Saturday last, the death-rate averaged 23·3 and was 0·7 below the mean rate for the corresponding portions of the ten years 1912-21. The rate for all deaths registered during the eleven weeks was 25·0 and for the corresponding period of the preceding ten years 25·7.

Included in the 186 deaths appertaining to the Area are one from enteric fever, 10 from measles, one from scarlet fever, 4 from whooping-cough, one from diphtheria, 2 from diarrhœa and enteritis of children under 2 years, and 9 from influenza. In the 3 preceding weeks deaths from measles were 6, 9, and 11; d aths from scarlet fever one, one, and 0; deaths from whooping-cough one, one, and 0; deaths from diphtheria 0, one, and one; deaths from diarrhœa and enteritis of children under 2 years 3, 3, and 4; and deaths from influenza 9, 13, and 4. There were no deaths from enteric fever registered in the three preceding weeks.

There were 28 deaths from pneumonia, comprising 18 from broncho-pneumonia, 3 from lobar pneumonia, and 7 from pneumonia (type not distinguished).

Tuberculous disease caused 19 deaths (including 17 from pulmonary tuberculosis and 2 from disseminated tuberculosis), as against 18, 20, and 22 from all forms of tuberculous disease in the 3 weeks preceding.

Six deaths were caused by cancer, 17 by organic diseases of the heart, and 26 by bronchitis.

One accidental death was recorded,

Among deaths of infants under one year old, one was due to measles, one to whooping-cough, one to influenza, one to disseminated tuberculosis, one to meningitis, 4 to convulsions, one to bronchitis, 5 to broncho-pneumonia, one to lobar pneumonia, one to pneumonia, 2 to diarrhœa and enteritis, one to congenital malformation, 4 to premature birth, and 2 to congenital debility.

Fifty-six of the deaths registered during the week, appertaining to the Area, were those of children under 5 years of age, 29 being infants under one year, of whom 8 were under one month old, and 57 deaths were those of persons aged 65 and upwards, of whom 39 were 70 years of age or over.

Of the 186 deaths recorded, 73 occurred in hospitals and other public institutions.

ENGLAND AND SCOTLAND.

The mortality among civilians for the week ended 18th March, in 105 large English towns (including London in which the rate was 14·1) was equal to an average annual death rate of 13·9 per 1,000 of the estimated civil population.

The average death-rate for 16 principal towns of Scotland was 16·3 per 1,000 persons living, the rate for Glasgow being 18·8 and for Edinburgh 14·9.

* Exclusive of the deaths of persons admitted into public institutions from without the respective districts.
† Enteric fever, typhus, small-pox, measles, scarlet fever, whooping-cough, diphtheria, dysentery, and diarrhœal diseases.

TABLE I.—BIRTHS and DEATHS registered during the week ending Saturday, 18th March, 1922, in the DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA, in each of the under-mentioned 11 CITIES OR URBAN DISTRICTS, and in BELFAST and LONDONDERRY CITIES (exclusive of Deaths in Public Institutions of Persons admitted from other Districts), the Number of Deaths from some of the PRINCIPAL CAUSES, and the Number of Uncertified Deaths, with the Temperature and Rainfall for the week; also statistics regarding Births, Deaths and Meteorology in London, Edinburgh, and Glasgow.

TOWNS AND DISTRICTS.	Population. Total (a)	Population. Persons to an Acre.	Annual Rate per 1,000 Persons Represented by Births	Annual Rate per 1,000 Persons Represented by Deaths. From all Causes.	Annual Rate per 1,000 Persons Represented by Deaths. From certain Epidemic Diseases. (b)	Registration—Week ending Saturday, 18th March, 1922. Numbers Registered. Births. Total Number	Deaths. Total Number.	Deaths. Under 1 year of Age.	Deaths. At 65 years and upwards.	Caused by: Enteric Fever.	Typhus.	Small-pox.	Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Whooping-cough.	Diphtheria.	Dysentery.	Influenza.	Tuberculosis. Pulmonary.	Tuberculosis. Other Forms.	Cancer.	Diseases of the Respiratory System. Pneumonia.	Diseases of the Respiratory System. Other.	Diarrhœa and Enteritis of children under 2 years of age.	Diarrhœa, 2 years of age and upwards.	Violence.	Inquest Cases.	No. of Deaths in Public Institutions.	Number of Uncertified Deaths.	Meteorology. (c) Week ending 18th March, 1922. Air Temperature. Absolute Highest.	Absolute Lowest.	Mean Maximum (A).	Mean Minimum (B).	Mean of (A) and (B).	Rainfall in Inches.
COLS.	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)	(14)	(15)	(16)	(17)	(18)	(19)	(20)	(21)	(22)	(23)	(24)	(25)	(26)	(27)	(28)	(29)	(30)	(31)	(32)	(33)	(34)	(35)
TOTAL OF 12 TOWN DISTRICTS ...	662,256	18·9	23·5	21·4	1·7	298	272	43	86	1	.	.	10	1	4	1	.	18	27	2	9	31	37	5	.	5	6	99	10	.	.	.	.	.	.
DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA	427,000	30·5	25·0	22·7	2·3	205	186	29	57	1	.	.	10	1	4	1	.	9	17	2	6	28	29	2	.	1	3	73	1	(d) 52·8	30·5	48·2	35·7	41·9	0·00
Urban Districts. CITY OF DUBLIN	327,000	40·0	27·6	24·9	2·7	173	156	25	45	1	.	.	9	1	3	1	.	9	16	2	5	25	25	2	.	1	3	65	1	(e) 52·1 (f) 53·0	37·1 32·0	48·8 49·0	40·9 37·7	44·9 43·3	0·00 0·00
Urban Districts. RATHMINES and RATHGAR ...	41,500	24·2	12·6	13·8	2·5	10	11	2	3	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	.	.	4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Urban Districts. PEMBROKE ...	31,100	19·8	11·7	15·1	.	7	9	1	4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	2	.	.	.	.	.	4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Urban Districts. BLACKROCK ...	9,900	9·1	15·8	10·5	.	3	2	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Urban Districts. DÚN LAOGHAIRE	17,500	12·0	35·8	23·8	.	12	8	1	4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	52	35	48·4	40·4	44·4	0·00
Urban Districts. CORK	76,673	28·6	15·0	21·1	0·7	22	31	6	13	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	8	.	1	.	3	1	.	.	.	20	.	51	41	48·4	43·6	46·0	0·04
Urban Districts. LIMERICK ...	38,518	16·1	27·1	21·7	1·4	20	16	4	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	4	2	.	.	1	4	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Urban Districts. WATERFORD ...	27,464	19·1	26·6	19·0	.	14	10	2	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	3	.	.	.	.	.	.
Urban Districts. GALWAY	13,255	2.5	The annual rates			6	5	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	2	2	.	.	54	32	51	35	43	0·00
Urban Districts. DUNDALK ...	13,128	9·5	represented by the			8	4	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.
Urban Districts. DROGHEDA ...	12,501	8·4	numbers of births			6	2	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Urban Districts. WEXFORD ...	11,531	22·8	and deaths regis-			4	7	1	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	1	.	.	.	2	2	.	.	.	.	.	.
Urban Districts. SLIGO	11,163	3·8	tered for these			3	3	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	58	30	52	37	44·5	0·00
Urban Districts. KILKENNY ...	10,514	11·4	urban districts will			1	2	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	54	32	50·8	37·2	44·0	0·00
Urban Districts. TRALEE ...	10,300	17·4	be shown in the			3	3	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Urban Districts. CLONMEL	10,209	4·8	Quarterly Summary			6	3	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.
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			Returns.																																
BELFAST CITY	425,000	24·3	26·4	19·3	0·9	215	157	18	43	.	.	.	2	.	.	1	.	10	16	5	3	13	17	3	1	11	11	32	3	52·0	32·0	47·9	36·0	42·0	0·00
LONDONDERRY CITY ...	46,000	36·3	36·3	10·2	.	32	9	2	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	1	2	.	.	.	.	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
LONDON	4,476,238	—	—	14·1	—	1,881	1,223	150	402	1	—	.	72	6	35	21	—	—	107	15	132	161	116	8	6	33	84	610	2	54	32	47·4	38·1	42·8	0·00
EDINBURGH	420,486	—	—	14·9	0·6	179	120	25	46	.	—	.	4	.	1	.	—	3	—	—	—	16		.	—	4	—	—	—	52·0	32·0	44·6	35·9	40·2	0·00
GLASGOW	1,037,845	—	—	18·8	4·1	585	375g	85	70	1	1	.	67	2	3	2	—	5	—	—	—	67		7	—	8	—	—	—	54·5	33·2	51·2	37·4	44·3	0·00

(a) According to the Census of 1911, but in the cases of the Dublin Registration Area and its component parts, the population given is that estimated to the middle of 1922. The estimate shown for London relates to the civil population in 1921. The population for Glasgow and Edinburgh is that provisionally estimated to the middle of 1922. (b) See note (†) at foot of first page. (c) The observations shown for Cork were taken at Roche's Point, and those for Sligo at Markree. (d) Observations at Ordnance Survey Office, Phœnix Park. (e) Observations by Sir John Moore, taken at Fitzwilliam Square. (f) Observations by Sir Frederick W. Moore, taken at the Botanic Gardens, Glasnevin. (g) Including one death from cerebro-spinal meningitis.

TABLE II.—Showing for the WEEK ENDED 18TH MARCH, 1922, the number of DEATHS of Residents of the several REGISTRARS' DISTRICTS in the DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA, and in the CITY OF CORK, the annual Rate per 1,000 of the Population of the respective Districts represented thereby, and by the Deaths from the principal Epidemic Diseases†; with the mortality from some of the principal causes; also the Deaths at certain age-periods, and the number of Uncertified Deaths, *the Deaths in Public Institutions being assigned to the Districts from which the deceased were admitted.*

WEEK ENDED SATURDAY 18TH MARCH, 1922.

	REGISTRARS' DISTRICTS, &c.	Estimated Population middle of 1922.*	Annual Rate of Mortality per 1,000 Living represented by Deaths. From all causes	From certain Epidemic Diseases†	Total Deaths.	Under 1 year.	1 and under 2.	2 and under 5.	5 and under 15.	15 and under 25.	25 and under 45.	45 and under 65.	65 and upwards.	Enteric Fever.	Typhus.	Small-pox.	Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Whooping-cough.	Diphtheria.	Dysentery.	Influenza.	Tuberculosis. Pulmonary.	Tuberculosis. Other Forms.	Cancer.	Diseases of Respiratory System. Pneumonia.	Diseases of Respiratory System. Other.	Diarrhœa and Enteritis of Children under 2 years.	Diarrhœa, 2 years and upwards.	Violence.	Other Causes.	Inquest Cases.	In Institutions. In Hospitals, Prisons and Lunatic Asylums.	In Institutions. In Workhouse Hospitals.	Number of Uncertified Deaths.
						DEATHS.								CAUSED BY																					
	Cols.	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)	(14)	(15)	(16)	(17)	(18)	(19)	(20)	(21)	(22)	(23)	(24)	(25)	(26)	(27)	(28)	(29)	(30)	(31)	(32)	(33)	34)
	DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA.																																		
Dublin City Districts.	North City, No. 1, E.	31,600	31·4	3·3	19	6	1	.	1	.	4	4	3	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	1	2	4	.	1	.	.	8	1	7	2	1
	" 1, W.	43,300	25·3	2·4	21	3	1	1	2	.	3	4	7	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	2	2	.	.	4	5	1	.	.	6	.	4	3	.
	" 2	29,000	27·0	.	15	2	3	1	.	.	2	5	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	2	3	.	.	.	8	1	3	2	.
	" 3	35,900	14·5	1·5	10	1	1	1	.	1	1	2	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	1	.	2	2	1	.	.	.	3	.	3	2	.
	Clontarf and Howth, No. 1, part of	5,800	9·0	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.
	Coolock and Drumcondra, part of	14,300	14·6	3·6	4	2	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	1	1	.	.
	Finglas and Glasnevin, part of ..	11,700	8·9	.	2	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.
	South City, No. 1	45,300	36·8	5·8	32	5	3	3	.	3	3	5	10	.	.	.	4	1	.	.	.	1	3	.	1	7	7	.	.	.	8	.	10	2	.
	" 2	19,100	32·8	.	12	.	.	.	1	1	3	2	5	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	3	1	.	.	1	.	.	.	6	.	3	5	.
	" 3	45,600	24·0	4·6	21	4	3	1	1	.	1	4	7	.	.	.	3	.	1	.	.	2	1	.	.	3	4	.	.	.	7	.	5	3	.
	" 4	34,500	24·2	3·0	16	1	3	.	1	1	1	4	5	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	2	.	.	3	2	.	.	.	7	.	6	2	.
	New Kilmainham	10,900	14·4	.	3	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.
Urban Districts.	Rathmines and Rathgar	41,500	13·8	2·5	11	2	1	2	.	.	1	2	3	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	.	7	.	3	1	.
	Pembroke	31,100	15·1	.	9	1	1	.	.	.	1	2	4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	2	.	.	.	.	5	.	.	4	.
	Blackrock	9,900	10·5	.	2	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.
	Dún Laoghaire	17,500	23·8	.	8	1	.	.	.	.	1	2	4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	.	6	.	.	.	.
	Total City of Dublin	327,000	24·9	2·7	156	25	15	8	6	8	19	30	45	1	.	.	9	1	3	1	.	9	16	2	5	25	25	2	.	1	56	3	44	21	1
	Total Urban Districts	100,000	15·6	1·0	30	4	2	2	1	.	3	6	12	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	1	.	1	3	4	.	.	.	19	.	3	5	.
	Total Dublin Registration Area ..	427,000	22·7	2·3	186	29	17	10	7	8	22	36	57	1	.	.	10	1	4	1	.	9	17	2	6	28	29	2	.	1	75	3	47	26	1
	Deaths relating to residents of localities situated outside the Registration Area (not included in above)				11	2	1	1	.	2	2	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	2	1	1	.	.	.	.	5	.	9	2	.
	CITY OF CORK.																																		
Cork City Districts	Cork Urban, No. 1	13,455	50·4	.	13	1	.		1		3	2	6	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	5	.	1	.	2	.	.	.	5	.	11		.
	" 2	10,399	25·1	.	5	1	.		1		1	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	5	.	2		.
	" 3	9,793	21·3	.	4	2	.		.		.	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	3		.
	" 4	9,139	28·5	5·7	5	2	.		1		.	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	3	.	2		.
	" 5	6,250	16·7	.	2	.	.		.		.	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	1	.	1		.
	" 6	11,581	.	.	.	.	.		.		.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.		.
	" 7	16,056	6·5	.	2	.	.		.		.	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	1		.
	Total City of Cork	76,673	21·1	0·7	31	6	.		3		4	5	13	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	8	.	1	.	3	1	.	.	18	.	20		.

* The populations given for the City of Cork and its component parts are those according to the Census of 1911. † See note (†) at foot of first page.

TABLE III.—Showing the NUMBER of CASES of INFECTIOUS DISEASES notified in the Dublin Registration Area (viz. :—the City of Dublin, and the Urban Districts of Rathmines and Rathgar, Pembroke, Blackrock and Dún Laoghaire), and in the Cities of Cork, Limerick, and Waterford, during the week ended 18th March, 1922, and each of the preceding three weeks, as furnished by the respective Sanitary Authorities. A dash (—) denotes that the disease in question is not notifiable in the District.

Cities and Urban Districts.	Week ending	Enteric Fever.	Typhus.	Pyrexia—Continued Fever.	Relapsing Fever.	Small-pox.	Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Whooping-cough.	Diphtheria (including Membranous Croup).	Erysipelas.	Puerperal Fever.	Diarrhœal Diseases.	Dysentery.	Malaria.	Trench Fever.	Acute Primary Pneumonia and Acute Influenzal Pneumonia.	Cerebro-spinal Fever.	Acute Poliomyelitis.	Encephalitis Lethargica	Tuberculosis.	Total.
City of Dublin	Feb. 25	.	.	.	.	.	—	4	—	3	2	.	—	.	.	.	7	.	.	—	10	26
	Mar. 4	.	.	.	.	.	—	4	—	2	4	.	—	2	.	.	7	.	.	—	19	38
	Mar. 11	1	.	.	.	.	—	3	—	6	4	.	—	.	.	.	2	.	.	—	16	32
	Mar. 18	.	.	.	.	.	—	2	—	6	1	.	—	.	1	.	4	.	.	—	8	22
Rathmines & Rathgar Urban District	Feb. 25	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	2	.	.	—	.	.	.	1	.	.	—	—	3
	Mar. 4	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	.
	Mar. 11	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	2	4	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	6
	Mar. 18	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	2	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	2
Pembroke Urban District	Feb. 25	.	.	.	.	.	3	1	.	1	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	5
	Mar. 4	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	1	3	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	6
	Mar. 11	.	.	.	.	.	7	.	.	1	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	8
	Mar. 18	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	2
Blackrock Urban District	Feb. 25	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.
	Mar. 4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.
	Mar. 11	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	1
	Mar. 18	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.
Dún Laoghaire Urban District	Feb. 25	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	2	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	2
	Mar. 4	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	2	2
	Mar. 11	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.
	Mar 18	.	.	.	.	.	—	2	—	1	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	3
City of Cork	Feb. 25	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	—	3*a*
	Mar. 4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	5	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	—	5
	Mar. 11	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	—	5	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	—	6*a*
	Mar. 18	.	.	.	.	.	3	.	—	7	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	—	10
City of Limerick	Feb. 25	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	3	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	3
	Mar. 4	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	.
	Mar. 11	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	.
	Mar. 18	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	4	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	4
City of Waterford	Feb. 25	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	.	.
	Mar. 4	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	.	.
	Mar. 11	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	.	.
	Mar. 18	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	.	.

(*a*) Not including one case of Varicella.

TABLE IV.—Showing the NUMBER of CASES of the undermentioned DISEASES treated in Dublin Hospitals during the week ended Saturday, 18th March, 1922, with the number under treatment at the close of each of the last four weeks.

Diseases	No. of Cases in Hospital at close of week ended			Week ended 18th March			
	Feb. 25	Mar. 4	Mar. 11	No. admitted.	Discharged.	Died.	No. under treatment at close of week.
Enteric Fever, ...	2	2	3	1	.	1	3
Typhus, ...	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Small-pox, ...	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Measles, ...	36	46	51	23	10	1	63
Scarlet Fever,..	33	32	26	9	5	1	29*
Diphtheria, ...	36	29	27	11	6	1	31
Pneumonia, ...	32	34	35	6	7	4	30

* Exclusive of 12 patients in "Beneavin," the Convalescent Home of Cork Street Fever Hospital.

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TWELVE TOWN DISTRICTS.

The Births and Deaths * registered in the Dublin Registration Area and in eleven provincial Urban Districts of the Irish Free State, with the annual rates per 1,000 of the population represented thereby, which, for the purposes of these Returns, is estimated at 662,256, are given in Table I. The deaths from all causes appertaining to the undermentioned areas for last week and for the past four weeks, respectively, were equal to the following annual rates per 1,000 of the population:—

Twelve Town Districts, 24·3 and 22·7; Dublin Registration Area, 24·2 and 22·8; Dublin City, 25·7 and 24·7; Cork, 25·8 and 22·1; Limerick, 37·9 and 28·1, and Waterford, 20·9 and 20·4.

The deaths* from certain epidemic diseases † registered in the 12 town districts during last week were equal to an annual rate of 1·3 per 1,000. Among the 38 deaths from all causes for Cork are one from diphtheria and one from influenza. The 28 deaths from all causes for Limerick include one from diphtheria, one from diarrhœa and enteritis of a child under 2 years and 3 from influenza, and 2 of the 4 deaths from all causes for Tralee are from influenza.

DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA.

In the Dublin Registration Area the births registered during the week amounted to 264—141 boys and 123 girls—and the deaths to 208—108 males and 100 females.

The deaths registered, omitting the deaths (numbering 10) of persons admitted into public institutions from localities outside the Area, represent an annual rate of mortality of 24·2 per 1,000 of the population. During the twelve weeks ending with Saturday last, the death-rate averaged 23·4 and was 0·8 below the mean rate for the corresponding portions of the ten years 1912-21. The rate for all deaths registered during the twelve weeks was 25·1 and for the corresponding period of the preceding ten years 25·8.

Included in the 198 deaths appertaining to the Area are 7 from measles, one from whooping-cough, 2 from diphtheria, 4 from diarrhœa and enteritis of children under 2 years, and 6 from influenza. In the 3 preceding weeks deaths from measles were 9, 11, and 10; deaths from whooping-cough one, 0, and 4; deaths from diphtheria one, one, and one; deaths from diarrhœa and enteritis of children under 2 years 3, 4, and 2; and deaths from influenza 13, 4, and 9.

There were 21 deaths from pneumonia, comprising 11 from broncho-pneumonia, one from lobar pneumonia, and 9 from pneumonia (type not distinguished).

Tuberculous disease caused 32 deaths (including 21 from pulmonary tuberculosis, 7 from tuberculous meningitis, and 4 from other forms of tuberculous disease, as against 20, 22, and 19 from all forms of tuberculous disease in the 3 weeks preceding.

Eight deaths were caused by cancer, 16 by organic diseases of the heart, and 24 by bronchitis.

Six accidental deaths were registered of which one was caused by burns,

Among deaths of infants under one year old, one was due to measles, 2 to convulsions, 5 to broncho-pneumonia, one to pneumonia, 4 to diarrhœa and enteritis, one to congenital malformation, 5 to premature birth, and 2 to congenital debility.

Forty-nine of the deaths registered during the week, appertaining to the Area, were those of children under 5 years of age, 27 being infants under one year, of whom 13 were under one month old, and 52 deaths were those of persons aged 65 and upwards, of whom 35 were 70 years of age or over.

Of the 198 deaths recorded, 81 occurred in hospitals and other public institutions.

ENGLAND AND SCOTLAND.

The mortality among civilians for the week ended 25th March, in 105 large English towns (including London in which the rate was 14·6) was equal to an average annual death rate of 14·2 per 1,000 of the estimated civil population.

The average death-rate for 16 principal towns of Scotland was 16·8 per 1,000 persons living, the rate for Glasgow being 18·2 and for Edinburgh 16·2.

* Exclusive of the deaths of persons admitted into public institutions from without the respective districts.
† Enteric fever, typhus, small-pox, measles, scarlet fever, whooping-cough, diphtheria, dysentery, and diarrhœal diseases.

TABLE I.—BIRTHS and DEATHS registered during the week ending Saturday, 25th March, 1922, in the DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA, in each of the under-mentioned 11 CITIES OR URBAN DISTRICTS, and in BELFAST and LONDONDERRY CITIES (exclusive of Deaths in Public Institutions of Persons admitted from other Districts), the Number of Deaths from some of the PRINCIPAL CAUSES, and the Number of Uncertified Deaths, with the Temperature and Rainfall for the week; also statistics regarding Births, Deaths and Meteorology in London, Edinburgh, and Glasgow.

TOWNS AND DISTRICTS.	POPULATION. Total (a)	Persons to an Acre.	REGISTRATION—WEEK ENDING SATURDAY, 25TH MARCH, 1922. Annual Rate per 1,000 Persons Represented by BIRTHS.	DEATHS. From all Causes.	DEATHS. From certain Epidemic Diseases. (b)	NUMBERS REGISTERED. BIRTHS Total Number	DEATHS. Total Number	Under 1 year of Age.	At 65 years and upwards.	Caused by Enteric Fever.	Typhus.	Small-pox.	Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Whooping-cough.	Diphtheria.	Dysentery.	Influenza.	Tuberculosis. Pulmonary.	Other Forms.	Cancer.	Diseases of the Respiratory System. Pneumonia.	Other.	Diarrhœa and Enteritis of children under 2 years of age.	Diarrhœa, 2 years of age and upwards.	Violence.	Inquest Cases.	No. of Deaths in Public Institutions.	Number of Uncertified Deaths.	METEOROLOGY. (c) WEEK ENDING 25TH MARCH, 1922. Air Temperature. Absolute Highest.	Absolute Lowest.	Mean Maximum (A).	Mean Minimum (B).	Mean of (A) and (B).	Rainfall in Inches.
COLS.	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)	(14)	(15)	(16)	(17)	(18)	(19)	(20)	(21)	(22)	(23)	(24)	(25)	(26)	(27)	(28)	(29)	(30)	(31)	(32)	(33)	(34)	(35)
TOTAL OF 12 TOWN DISTRICTS ...	662,256	18·9	29·1	24·3	1·3	369	309	35	96	.	.	.	7	.	1	4	.	13	32	14	14	29	44	5	.	10	11	121	9	.	.	.	.	.	.
DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA	427,000	30·5	32·2	24·2	1·7	264	198	27	52	.	.	.	7	.	1	2	.	6	21	11	8	21	27	4	.	6	8	81	2	(d) 48·1	26·8	45·4	32·4	38·9	0·39
Urban Districts. CITY OF DUBLIN	327,000	40·0	37·6	25·7	2·1	236	161	26	39	.	.	.	7	.	1	1	.	6	18	8	7	18	22	4	.	6	7	71	2	(e) 48·1 (f) 49·2	33·0 31·4	45·2 45·8	36·4 34·7	40·8 40·2	0·31 0·38
RATHMINES and RATHGAR ...	41,500	24·2	16·3	28·9	.	13	23	.	9	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	3	1	2	3	.	.	.	.	7	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
PEMBROKE ...	31,100	19·8	11·7	13·4	1·7	7	8	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	1	2	.	.	.	.	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
BLACKROCK ...	9,900	9·1	10·5	10·5	.	2	2	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
DÚN LAOGHAIRE	17,500	12·0	17·9	11·9	.	6	4	1	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	51	34	44·7	36·7	40·7	0·20
Urban Districts. CORK	76,673	28·6	29·2	25·8	0·7	43	38	3	15	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	6	1	3	2	4	.	.	1	.	15	1	54	31	47·6	36·6	42·1	0·35
LIMERICK ...	38,518	16·1	17·6	37·9	2·7	13	28	2	13	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	3	1	1	1	3	9	1	.	.	.	12	3	.	.	.	.	.	.
WATERFORD ...	27,464	19·1	34·2	20·9	.	18	11	2	5	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	1	.	.	1	1	4	2	.	.	.	.	.	.
GALWAY	13,255	2.5	The annual rates			4	5	.	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	2	2	1	.	54	28	50	33	41·5	0·47
DUNDALK ...	13,128	9·5	represented by the			4	4	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
DROGHEDA ...	12,501	8·4	numbers of births			6	2	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
WEXFORD ...	11,531	22·8	and deaths regis-			4	7	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	3	1	.	.	.	.	.	.
SLIGO	11,163	3·8	tered for these			4	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	51	25	48	32	40	0·90
KILKENNY ...	10,514	11·4	urban districts will			3	6	1	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	1	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	51	29	46·2	33·4	39·8	0·33
TRALEE ...	10,300	17·4	be shown in the			4	4	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
CLONMEL	10,209	4·8	Quarterly Summary of the Weekly Returns.			2	4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
BELFAST CITY	425,000	24·3	25·0	16·2	0·7	204	132	22	33	.	.	.	.	.	1	2	.	4	15	2	11	9	12	3	.	12	11	37	1	49·8	29·0	46·3	35·1	40·7	0·20
LONDONDERRY CITY ...	46,000	36·3	22·7	20·4	.	20	18	1	5	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	3	.	1	.	1	.	.	2	.	4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
LONDON	4,476,238	—	—	14·6	—	1,854	1,257	188	377	.	.	.	89	6	43	18	—	—	105	22	103	162	104	16	10	39	94	616	.	48	30	43·7	34·1	38·9	0·06
EDINBURGH	420,486	—	—	16·2	0·7	190	131	21	53	.	.	.	2	.	2	1	—	3	—	—	—	25		1	—	2	—	—	—	44·0	29·0	41·1	32·3	36·7	0·24
GLASGOW	1,037,845	—	—	18·2	3·9	582	362	63	80	.	.	.	63	1	5	6	—	2	—	—	—	67		3	—	8	—	—	—	43·8	29·6	42·2	32·9	37·5	0·16

(a) According to the Census of 1911, but in the cases of the Dublin Registration Area and its component parts, the population given is that estimated to the middle of 1922. The estimate shown for London relates to the civil population in 1921. The population for Glasgow and Edinburgh is that provisionally estimated to the middle of 1922. (b) See note (†) at foot of first page. (c) The observations shown for Cork were taken at Roche's Point, and those for Sligo at Markree. (d) Observations at Ordnance Survey Office, Phœnix Park. (e) Observations by Sir John Moore, taken at Fitzwilliam Square. (f) Observations by Sir Frederick W. Moore, taken at the Botanic Gardens, Glasnevin.

TABLE II.—Showing for the WEEK ENDED 25TH MARCH, 1922, the number of DEATHS of Residents of the several REGISTRARS' DISTRICTS in the DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA, and in the CITY OF CORK, the annual Rate per 1,000 of the Population of the respective Districts represented thereby, and by the Deaths from the principal Epidemic Diseases†; with the mortality from some of the principal causes; also the Deaths at certain age-periods, and the number of Uncertified Deaths, *the Deaths in Public Institutions being assigned to the Districts from which the deceased were admitted.*

WEEK ENDED SATURDAY 25TH MARCH, 1922.

	REGISTRARS' DISTRICTS, &c.	Estimated Population middle of 1922.*	Annual Rate of Mortality per 1,000 Living represented by Deaths. From all causes	From certain Epidemic Diseases†	Total Deaths.	Under 1 year.	1 and under 2.	2 and under 5.	5 and under 15.	15 and under 25.	25 and under 45.	45 and under 65.	65 and upwards.	Enteric Fever.	Typhus.	Small-pox.	Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Whooping-cough.	Diphtheria.	Dysentery.	Influenza.	Tuberculosis. Pulmonary.	Tuberculosis. Other Forms.	Cancer.	Diseases of Respiratory System. Pneumonia.	Diseases of Respiratory System. Other.	Diarrhœa and Enteritis of Children under 2 years.	Diarrhœa, 2 years and upwards.	Violence.	Other Causes.	Inquest Cases.	In Institutions. In Hospitals, Prisons and Lunatic Asylums.	In Institutions. In Workhouse Hospitals.	Number of Uncertified Deaths.
	Cols.	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)	(14)	(15)	(16)	(17)	(18)	(19)	(20)	(21)	(22)	(23)	(24)	(25)	(26)	(27)	(28)	(29)	(30)	(31)	(32)	(33)	(34)
	DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA.																																		
Dublin City Districts.	North City, No. 1, E.	31,600	19·8	1·7	12	1	1	.	.	2	3	3	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	4	1	.	.	1	1	.	.	3	.	2	.	1
	" 1, W.	43,300	33·7	3·6	28	5	1	.	2	3	3	7	7	.	.	.	1	.	.	1	.	.	4	1	3	1	5	1	.	1	10	1	14	8	.
	" 2	29,000	28·8	1·8	16	4	3	2	1	.	.	3	3	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	4	2	.	.	1	7	1	3	2	.
	" 3	35,900	20·3	1·5	14	3	.	1	1	.	3	1	5	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	3	1	1	2	3	1	.	.	3	.	3	3	.
	Clontarf and Howth, No. 1, part of	5,800	18·0	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	1	.	.
	Coolock and Drumcondra, part of	14,300	21·9	3·6	6	1	.	.	.	.	.	3	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	3	.	.	.	.
	Finglas and Glasnevin, part of	11,700	22·3	.	5	.	.	.	1	.	.	2	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	1	3	1	3	.	.
	South City, No. 1	45,300	25·3	1·2	22	3	2	1	1	.	5	5	5	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	1	3	.	.	3	3	.	.	.	11	.	7	5	.
	" 2	19,100	30·0	2·7	11	1	.	2	1	.	.	3	4	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	1	1	2	.	.	1	3	2	2	3	1
	" 3	45,600	20·6	1·1	18	5	3	.	1	1	2	2	4	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	1	2	.	.	3	3	.	.	1	7	1	3	2	.
	" 4	34,500	27·2	4·5	18	2	1	2	.	4	2	5	2	.	.	.	2	.	1	.	.	.	1	3	1	1	2	.	.	.	7	.	6	.	.
	New Kilmainham	10,900	43·1	.	9	1	.	1	1	.	4	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	2	1	.	.	1	4	1	4	.	.
Urban Districts.	Rathmines and Rathgar	41,500	28·9	.	23	.	1	.	3	.	4	6	9	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	3	1	2	3	.	.	.	12	.	6	1	.
	Pembroke	31,100	13·4	1·7	8	.	.	1	.	.	1	5	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	1	2	.	.	.	4	.	3	.	.
	Blackrock	9,900	10·5	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	.	.
	Dún Laoghaire	17,500	11·9	.	4	1	.	.	.	1	.	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	3	1	.	.	.
	Total City of Dublin	327,000	25·7	2·1	161	26	11	9	9	10	22	35	39	.	.	.	7	.	1	1	.	6	18	8	7	18	22	4	.	6	63	7	48	23	2
	Total Urban Districts	100,000	19·3	0·5	37	1	1	1	3	1	5	12	13	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	3	3	1	3	5	.	.	.	21	1	9	1	.
	Total Dublin Registration Area	427,000	24·2	1·7	198	27	12	10	12	11	27	47	52	.	.	.	7	.	1	2	.	6	21	11	8	21	27	4	.	6	84	8	57	24	2
	Deaths relating to residents of localities situated outside the Registration Area (not included in above)				10	1	.	.	.	.	5	2	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	.	.	3	5	3	10	.	.
	CITY OF CORK.																																		
Cork City Districts	Cork Urban, No. 1	13,455	27·1	.	7	.	.		.		3	1	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	3	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	2	.	4		.
	" 2	10,399	40·1	.	8	2	2		.		1	1	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	1	1	.	.	1	3	.	3		.
	" 3	9,793	21·3	.	4	.	1		.		.	2	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	.	.	2	.	1		.
	" 4	9,139	28·5	5·7	5	1	1		2		.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	3	.	1		1
	" 5	6,250	25·0	.	3	.	.		.		.	1	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	.		.
	" 6	11,581	4·5	.	1	.	.		.		.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.		.
	" 7	16,056	32·5	.	10	.	.		.		2	1	7	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	1	.	.	.	7	.	6		.
	Total City of Cork	76,673	25·8	0·7	38	3	4		2		6	8	15	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	6	1	3	2	4	.	.	1	19	.	15		1

* The populations given for the City of Cork and its component parts are those according to the Census of 1911. † See note (†) at foot of first page.

TABLE III.—Showing the NUMBER of CASES of INFECTIOUS DISEASES notified in the Dublin Registration Area (viz. :—the City of Dublin, and the Urban Districts of Rathmines and Rathgar, Pembroke, Blackrock and Dún Laoghaire), and in the Cities of Cork, Limerick, and Waterford, during the week ended 25th March, 1922, and each of the preceding three weeks, as furnished by the respective Sanitary Authorities. A dash (—) denotes that the disease in question is not notifiable in the District.

Cities and Urban Districts.	Week ending	Enteric Fever.	Typhus.	Pyrexia—Continued Fever.	Relapsing Fever.	Small-pox.	Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Whooping-cough.	Diphtheria (including Membranous Croup).	Erysipelas.	Puerperal Fever.	Diarrhœal Diseases.	Dysentery.	Malaria.	Trench Fever.	Acute Primary Pneumonia and Acute Influenzal Pneumonia.	Cerebro-spinal Fever.	Acute Poliomyelitis.	Encephalitis Lethargica.	Tuberculosis.	Total.
City of Dublin	Mar. 4	.	.	.	.	.	—	4	—	2	4	.	—	2	.	.	7	.	.	—	19	38
	Mar. 11	1	.	.	.	.	—	3	—	6	4	.	—	.	.	.	2	.	.	—	16	32
	Mar. 18	.	.	.	.	.	—	2	—	6	1	.	—	.	1	.	4	.	.	—	8	22
	Mar. 25	.	.	.	.	.	—	2	—	4	1	.	—	.	.	.	4	.	.	—	12	23
Rathmines & Rathgar Urban District	Mar. 4	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	.
	Mar. 11	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	2	4	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	6
	Mar. 18	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	2	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	2
	Mar. 25	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	1	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	1
Pembroke Urban District	Mar. 4	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	1	3	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	6
	Mar. 11	.	.	.	.	.	7	.	.	1	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	8
	Mar. 18	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	2
	Mar. 25	1	.	.	.	.	9	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	10
Blackrock Urban District	Mar. 4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.
	Mar. 11	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	1
	Mar. 18	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.
	Mar. 25	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.
Dún Laoghaire Urban District	Mar. 4	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	2	2
	Mar. 11	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.
	Mar. 18	.	.	.	.	.	—	2	—	1	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	3
	Mar 25	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	1	.	—	.	1	.	.	—	.	—	.	2
City of Cork	Mar. 4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	5	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	—	5
	Mar. 11	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	—	5	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	—	6a
	Mar. 18	.	.	.	.	.	3	.	—	7	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	—	10
	Mar. 25	.	.	.	.	.	4	.	—	9	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	—	13
City of Limerick	Mar. 4	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	.
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	Mar. 25	.	.	.	.	.	—	1	—	4	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	5
City of Waterford	Mar. 4	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	.	.
	Mar. 11	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	.	.
	Mar. 18	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	.	.
	Mar. 25	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	.	.

(*a*) Not including one case of Varicella.

TABLE IV.—Showing the NUMBER of CASES of the undermentioned DISEASES treated in Dublin Hospitals during the week ended Saturday, 25th March, 1922, with the number under treatment at the close of each of the last four weeks.

Diseases.	No. of Cases in Hospital at close of week ended			Week ended 25th March			
	Mar. 4	Mar. 11	Mar 18	No. admitted.	Dis-charged.	Died.	No. under treatment at close of week.
Enteric Fever, ...	2	3	3	5	.	.	8
Typhus, ...	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Small-pox, ...	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Measles, ...	46	51	63	24	19	1	67
Scarlet Fever, ...	32	26	29	9	8	.	30*
Diphtheria, ...	29	27	31	8	5	1	33
Pneumonia, ...	34	35	30	12	5	3	34

* Exclusive of 12 patients in "Beneavin," the Convalescent Home of Cork Street Fever Hospital.

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TWELVE TOWN DISTRICTS.

The Births and Deaths * registered in the Dublin Registration Area and in eleven provincial Urban Districts of the Irish Free State, with the annual rates per 1,000 of the population represented thereby, which, for the purposes of these Returns, is estimated at 662,256, are given in Table I. The deaths from all causes appertaining to the undermentioned areas for last week and for the past four weeks, respectively, were equal to the following annual rates per 1,000 of the population:—

Twelve Town Districts, 18·0 and 21·2; Dublin Registration Area, 19·4 and 21·8; Dublin City, 20·3 and 23·5; Cork, 14·3 and 19·9; Limerick, 19·0 and 24·7, and Waterford, 9·5 and 15·7.

The deaths* from certain epidemic diseases † registered in the 12 town districts during last week were equal to an annual rate of 1·3 per 1,000. Among the 21 deaths from all causes for Cork are one from diphtheria, one from diarrhœa and enteritis of a child under 2 years and one from influenza, and the 14 deaths from all causes for Limerick include one from diarrhœa and one from influenza.

DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA.

In the Dublin Registration Area the births registered during the week amounted to 163—79 boys and 84 girls—and the deaths to 170—77 males and 93 females.

The deaths registered, omitting the deaths (numbering 11) of persons admitted into public institutions from localities outside the Area, represent an annual rate of mortality of 19·4 per 1,000 of the population. During the thirteen weeks ending with Saturday last, the death-rate averaged 23·1 and was 1·1 below the mean rate for the corresponding portions of the ten years 1912-21. The rate for all deaths registered during the thirteen weeks was 24·7 and for the corresponding period of the preceding ten years 25·9.

Included in the 159 deaths appertaining to the Area are 8 from measles, one from whooping-cough, 2 from diphtheria, 2 from diarrhœa and enteritis of children under 2 years, 2 from influenza and one from malaria. In the 3 preceding weeks deaths from measles were 11, 10, and 7; deaths from whooping-cough 0, 4, and one; deaths from diphtheria one, one, and 2; deaths from diarrhœa and enteritis of children under 2 years 4, 2, and 4; and deaths from influenza 4, 9, and 6.

There were 30 deaths from pneumonia, comprising 21 from broncho-pneumonia, 4 from lobar pneumonia, and 5 from pneumonia (type not distinguished).

Tuberculous disease caused 23 deaths (including 14 from pulmonary tuberculosis, 2 from tuberculous meningitis, and 7 from other forms of tuberculous disease), as against 22, 19, and 32 from all forms of tuberculous disease in the 3 weeks preceding.

Seven deaths were caused by cancer, 12 by organic diseases of the heart, and 25 by bronchitis.

One accidental death was recorded.

Among deaths of infants under one year old, 4 were due to measles, one to influenza, one to disseminated tuberculosis, 2 to convulsions, one to bronchitis, 6 to broncho-pneumonia, 2 to diarrhœa and enteritis, 2 to premature birth, and 2 to congenital debility.

Fifty-one of the deaths registered during the week, appertaining to the Area, were those of children under 5 years of age, 24 being infants under one year, of whom 6 were under one month old, and 37 deaths were those of persons aged 65 and upwards, of whom 26 were 70 years of age or over.

Of the 159 deaths recorded, 64 occurred in hospitals and other public institutions.

ENGLAND AND SCOTLAND.

The mortality among civilians for the week ended 1st April, in 105 large English towns (including London in which the rate was 16·4) was equal to an average annual death rate of 15·4 per 1,000 of the estimated civil population.

The average death-rate for 16 principal towns of Scotland was 17·5 per 1,000 persons living, the rate for Glasgow being 18·6 and for Edinburgh 16·7.

* Exclusive of the deaths of persons admitted into public institutions from without the respective districts.
† Enteric fever, typhus, small-pox, measles, scarlet fever, whooping-cough, diphtheria, dysentery, and diarrhœal diseases.

TABLE I.—BIRTHS and DEATHS registered during the week ending Saturday, 1st April, 1922, in the DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA, in each of the under-mentioned 11 CITIES OR URBAN DISTRICTS, and in BELFAST and LONDONDERRY CITIES (exclusive of Deaths in Public Institutions of Persons admitted from other Districts), the Number of Deaths from some of the PRINCIPAL CAUSES, and the Number of Uncertified Deaths, with the Temperature and Rainfall for the week; also statistics regarding Births, Deaths and Meteorology in London, Edinburgh, and Glasgow.

TOWNS AND DISTRICTS.	Population. Total (a)	Population. Persons to an Acre.	Annual Rate per 1,000 Persons Represented by Births	Annual Rate per 1,000 Persons Represented by Deaths. From all Causes.	Annual Rate per 1,000 Persons Represented by Deaths. From certain Epidemic Diseases. (b)	Registration—Week ending Saturday, 1st April, 1922. Numbers Registered. Births. Total Number	Deaths. Total Number.	Deaths. Under 1 year of Age.	Deaths. At 65 years and upwards.	Deaths. Caused by Enteric Fever.	Typhus.	Small-pox.	Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Whooping-cough.	Diphtheria.	Dysentery.	Influenza.	Tuberculosis. Pulmonary.	Tuberculosis. Other Forms.	Cancer.	Diseases of the Respiratory System. Pneumonia.	Diseases of the Respiratory System. Other.	Diarrhœa and Enteritis of children under 2 years of age.	Diarrhœa, 2 years of age and upwards.	Violence.	Inquest Cases.	No. of Deaths in Public Institutions.	Number of Uncertified Deaths.	Meteorology. (c) Week ending 1st April, 1922. Air Temperature. Absolute Highest.	Absolute Lowest.	Mean Maximum (A).	Mean Minimum (B).	Mean of (A) and (B).	Rainfall in Inches.
COLS.	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)	(14)	(15)	(16)	(17)	(18)	(19)	(20)	(21)	(22)	(23)	(24)	(25)	(26)	(27)	(28)	(29)	(30)	(31)	(32)	(33)	(34)	(35)
TOTAL OF 12 TOWN DISTRICTS ...	662,256	18·9	23·3	18·0	1·3	296	229	34	58	.	.	.	8	.	1	3	.	4	27	11	11	32	39	3	1	4	3	94	10	.	.	.	.	.	.
DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA	427,000	30·5	19·9	19·4	1·6	163	159	24	37	.	.	.	8	.	1	2	.	2	14	9	7	30	30	2	.	1	1	64	6	(d) 52·5	25·8	46·0	30·0	38·0	0·45
Urban Districts. CITY OF DUBLIN	327,000	40·0	21·7	20·3	1·9	136	127	21	25	.	.	.	7	.	1	2	.	2	9	8	4	24	25	2	.	1	1	54	5	(e) 48·9 (f) 51·0	32·9 28·2	45·6 46·4	34·6 32·4	40·1 39·4	0·33 0·41
Urban Districts. RATHMINES and RATHGAR ...	41,500	24·2	12·6	13·8	1·3	10	11	.	4	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	2	1	3	.	.	.	.	4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Urban Districts. PEMBROKE ...	31,100	19·8	11·7	16·8	.	7	10	1	4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	1	3	.	.	.	.	.	4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Urban Districts. BLACKROCK ...	9,900	9·1	10·5	15·8	.	2	3	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Urban Districts. DÚN LAOGHAIRE	17,500	12·0	23·8	23·8	.	8	8	1	4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	2	.	.	.	.	1	1	50	33	46·4	34·2	40·3	0·42
Urban Districts. CORK	76,673	28·6	38·1	14·3	1·4	56	21	6	6	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	3	.	1	1	1	1	.	1	1	14	.	50	32	47·9	37·0	42·5	0·24
Urban Districts. LIMERICK ...	38,518	16·1	24·4	19·0	1·4	18	14	1	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	2	1	.	1	4	.	1	.	.	5	1	.	.	.	.	.	.
Urban Districts. WATERFORD ...	27,964	19·1	19·0	9·5	.	10	5	1	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Urban Districts. GALWAY	13,255	2.5	The annual rates represented by the numbers of births and deaths registered for these urban districts will be shown in the Quarterly Summary of the Weekly Returns.			10	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	54	28	50·5	33·0	41·8	0·31
Urban Districts. DUNDALK ...	13,128	9·5				12	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.
Urban Districts. DROGHEDA ...	12,501	8·4				4	2	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Urban Districts. WEXFORD ...	11,531	22·8				3	4	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Urban Districts. SLIGO	11,163	3·8				7	4	.	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	2	1	52	21	49	30	39·5	0·42
Urban Districts. KILKENNY ...	10,514	11·4				5	11	1	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	1	.	.	2	.	.	1	.	4	1	52	26	47·2	32·2	39·7	0·13
Urban Districts. TRALEE ...	10,300	17·4				4	3	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Urban Districts. CLONMEL	10,209	4·8				4	3	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
BELFAST CITY	425,000	24·3	26·1	16·9	0·5	213	138	17	35	.	.	.	1	.	.	1	.	2	19	4	7	11	19	1	1	13	11	44	2	48·0	30·0	45·5	34·5	40·0	0·25
LONDONDERRY CITY ...	46,000	36·3	28·3	21·5	.	25	19	4	4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	2	2	6	.	.	.	.	4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
LONDON	4,476,238	—	—	16·4	—	1,941	1,417	219	449	2	.	.	106	10	32	25	—	—	100	17	129	167	138	27	6	31	86	603	3	48	26	43·9	32·9	38·4	0·34
EDINBURGH	420,486	—	—	16·7	0·4	176	135	33	49	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	—	3	—	—	—	28		2	—	2	—	—	—	44·0	27·0	40·4	30·9	35·6	0·29
GLASGOW	1,037,845	—	—	18·6	4·0	639	371	80	67	.	.	.	68	2	4	1	—	4	—	—	—	76		4	—	13	—	—	—	47·0	27·5	43·9	33·1	38·5	0·09

(a) According to the Census of 1911, but in the cases of the Dublin Registration Area and its component parts, the population given is that estimated to the middle of 1922. The estimate shown for London relates to the civil population in 1921. The population for Glasgow and Edinburgh is that provisionally estimated to the middle of 1922. (b) See note (†) at foot of first page. (c) The observations shown for Cork were taken at Roche's Point, and those for Sligo at Markree. (d) Observations at Ordnance Survey Office, Phœnix Park. (e) Observations by Sir John Moore, taken at Fitzwilliam Square. (f) Observations by Sir Frederick W. Moore, taken at the Botanic Gardens, Glasnevin.

TABLE II.—Showing for the WEEK ENDED 1ST APRIL, 1922, the number of DEATHS of Residents of the several REGISTRARS' DISTRICTS in the DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA, and in the CITY OF CORK, the annual Rate per 1,000 of the Population of the respective Districts represented thereby, and by the Deaths from the principal Epidemic Diseases†; with the mortality from some of the principal causes; also the Deaths at certain age-periods, and the number of Uncertified Deaths, *the Deaths in Public Institutions being assigned to the Districts from which the deceased were admitted.*

REGISTRARS' DISTRICTS, &c.	Estimated Population middle of 1922.*	Annual Rate of Mortality per 1,000 Living represented by Deaths. From all causes	From certain Epidemic Diseases†	Total Deaths.	Under 1 year.	1 and under 2.	2 and under 5.	5 and under 15.	15 and under 25.	25 and under 45.	45 and under 65.	65 and upwards.	Enteric Fever.	Typhus.	Small-pox.	Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Whooping-cough.	Diphtheria.	Dysentery.	Influenza.	Tuberculosis. Pulmonary.	Tuberculosis. Other Forms.	Cancer.	Diseases of Respiratory System. Pneumonia.	Diseases of Respiratory System. Other.	Diarrhœa and Enteritis of Children under 2 years.	Diarrhœa, 2 years and upwards.	Violence.	Other Causes.	Inquest Cases.	In Institutions. Prisons, Hospitals, Lunatic Asylums.	In Institutions. In Workhouse Hospitals.	Number of Uncertified Deaths.
					WEEK ENDED SATURDAY 1ST APRIL, 1922. DEATHS. CAUSED BY																													
COLS.	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)	(14)	(15)	(16)	(17)	(18)	(19)	(20)	(21)	(22)	(23)	(24)	(25)	(26)	(27)	(28)	(29)	(30)	(31)	(32)	(33)	34)
DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA.																																		
Dublin City Districts. North City, No. 1, E.	31,600	19·8	1·7	12	3	1	.	.	1	3	1	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	3	3	1	.	.	3	.	1	4	1
,, 1, W.	43,300	24·1	1·2	20	1	.	2	1	.	4	7	5	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	1	2	1	4	2	.	.	1	7	1	10	2	.
,, 2	29,000	23·4	.	13	1	2	.	.	2	.	5	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	1	2	3	.	.	.	5	.	2	4	.
,, 3	35,900	13·1	1·5	9	3	2	.	.	1	.	2	1	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	1	1	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	5	.	2	.	.
Clontarf and Howth, No. 1, part of	5,800	9·0	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.
Coolock and Drumcondra, part of	14,300	7·3	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	1	.
Finglas and Glasnevin, part of	11,700	8·9	.	2	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.
South City, No. 1	45,300	24·2	1·2	21	4	4	2	1	2	.	4	4	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	2	1	1	7	5	.	.	.	4	.	1	2	1
,, 2	19,100	19·1	2·7	7	2	.	.	.	.	1	3	1	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	3	.	.	.	1	.	2	1	2
,, 3	45,600	18·3	3·4	16	3	5	.	1	.	3	3	1	.	.	.	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	4	4	.	.	.	4	.	5	2	.
,, 4	34,500	31·7	4·5	21	3	.	3	1	2	1	6	5	.	.	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	3	1	.	.	4	1	.	.	10	.	8	6	1
New Kilmainham	10,900	14·4	4·8	3	.	2	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.
Urban Districts. Rathmines and Rathgar	41,500	13·8	1·3	11	.	.	1	.	.	2	4	4	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	2	1	3	.	.	.	2	.	4	.	.
Pembroke	31,100	16·8	.	10	1	1	.	.	.	2	2	4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	1	3	.	.	.	.	4	.	4	.	.
Blackrock	9,900	15·8	.	3	1	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.
Dún Laoghaire	17,500	23·8	.	8	1	1	.	.	.	.	2	4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	2	.	.	.	5	.	.	1	1
Total City of Dublin	327,000	20·3	1·9	127	21	16	8	4	8	12	33	25	.	.	.	7	.	1	2	.	2	9	8	4	24	25	2	.	1	42	1	32	22	5
Total Urban Districts	100,000	16·7	0·5	32	3	2	1	1	.	5	8	12	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	5	1	3	6	5	.	.	.	11	.	9	1	1
Total Dublin Registration Area	427,000	19·4	1·6	159	24	18	9	5	8	17	41	37	.	.	.	8	.	1	2	.	2	14	9	7	30	30	2	.	1	53	1	41	23	6
Deaths relating to residents of localities situated outside the Registration Area (not included in above)				11	.	.	.	.	1	4	4	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.		2	.	2	1	1	.	.	.	5	.	8	3	.
CITY OF CORK.																																		
Cork City Districts. Cork Urban, No. 1	13,455	19·4	3.9	5	.	1		.		1	1	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	3	.	3		.
,, 2	10,399	5·0	.	1	1	.		.		.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.		.
,, 3	9,793	10·6	.	2	.	1		.		1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	1	2		.
,, 4	9,139	5·7	.	1	.	.		.		1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1		.
,, 5	6,250	16·7	.	2	.	.		1		1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.		.
,, 6	11,581	22·5	4·5	5	4	.		.		.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	3	.	5		.
,, 7	16,056	16·2	.	5	1	.		.		.	.	4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	3	.	3		.
Total City of Cork	76,673	14·3	1·4	21	6	2		1		4	2	6	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	3	.	1	1	1	1	.	1	11	1	14		.

* The populations given for the City of Cork and its component parts are those according to the Census of 1911.

† See note (†) at foot of first page.

TABLE III.—Showing the NUMBER of CASES of INFECTIOUS DISEASES notified in the Dublin Registration Area (viz. :—the City of Dublin, and the Urban Districts of Rathmines and Rathgar, Pembroke, Blackrock and Dún Laoghai e), and in the Cities of Cork, Limerick, and Waterford, during the week ended 1st April, 19 2, and each of the preceding three weeks, as furnished by the respective Sanitary Authorities. A dash (—) denotes that the disease in question is not notifiable in the District.

Cities and Urban Districts.	Week ending	Enteric Fever.	Typhus.	Pyrexia—Continued Fever.	Relapsing Fever.	Small-pox.	Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Whooping-cough.	Diphtheria (including Membranous Croup).	Erysipelas.	Puerperal Fever.	Diarrhœal Diseases.	Dysentery.	Malaria.	Trench Fever.	Acute Primary Pneumonia and Acute Influenzal Pneumonia.	Cerebro-spinal Fever.	Acute Poliomyelitis.	Encephalitis Lethargica	Tuberculosis.	Total.
City of Dublin	Mar. 11	1	.	.	.	.	—	3	—	6	4	.	—	.	.	.	2	.	.	—	16	32
	Mar. 18	.	.	.	.	.	—	2	—	6	1	.	—	.	1	.	4	.	.	—	8	22
	Mar. 25	.	.	.	.	.	—	2	—	4	1	.	—	.	.	.	4	.	.	—	12	23
	Apr. 1	.	.	.	.	.	—	6	—	9	2	1	—	1	.	.	3	.	.	—	23	45
Rathmines & Rathgar Urban District	Mar. 11	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	2	4	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	6
	Mar. 18	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	2	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	2
	Mar. 25	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	1	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	1
	Apr. 1	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	.
Pembroke Urban District	Mar. 11	.	.	.	.	.	7	.	.	1	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	8
	Mar. 18	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	2
	Mar. 25	1	.	.	.	.	9	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	10
	Apr. 1	.	.	.	.	.	9	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	9
Blackrock Urban District	Mar. 11	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	1
	Mar. 18	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.
	Mar. 25	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.
	Apr 1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.
Dún Laoghaire Urban District	Mar. 11	.	.	.	.	.	—		—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.
	Mar. 18	.	.	.	.	.	—	2	—	1	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	3
	Mar. 25	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	1	.	—	.	1	.	.	—	.	—	.	2
	Apr 1	.	.	.	.	.	—	1	—	1	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	2
City of Cork	Mar. 11	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	—	5	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	—	6*a*
	Mar. 18	.	.	.	.	.	3	.	—	7	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	—	10
	Mar. 25	.	.	.	.	.	4	.	—	9	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	—	13
	Apr. 1	.	.	.	.	.	4	.	—	13	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	—	17
City of Limerick	Mar. 11	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	.
	Mar. 18	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	4	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	4
	Mar. 25	.	.	.	.	.	—	1	—	4	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	5
	Apr. 1	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	5	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	5
City of Waterford	Mar. 11	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	.	.
	Mar. 18	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	.	.
	Mar. 25	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	.	.
	Apr. 1	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	.	.

(*a*) Not including one case of Varicella.

TABLE IV.—Showing the NUMBER of CASES of the undermentioned DISEASES treated in Dublin Hospitals during the week ended Saturday, 1st April, 1922, with the number under treatment at the close of each of the last four weeks.

Diseases	No. of Cases in Hospital at close of week ended			Week ended 1st April,			
	Mar. 11	Mar. 18	Mar. 25	No. admitted.	Dis-charged.	Died.	No. under treatment at close of week.
Enteric Fever, ...	3	3	8	.	1	.	7
Typhus, ...	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Small-pox, ...	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Measles, ...	51	63	67	28	22	1	72
Scarlet Fever, ...	26	29	30	9	9	.	30*
Diphtheria, ...	27	31	33	12	4	2	39
Pneumonia, ...	35	30	34	16	10	4	36

* Exclusive of 14 patients in "Beneavin," the Convalescent Home of Cork Street Fever Hospital.

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TWELVE TOWN DISTRICTS.

The Births and Deaths * registered in the Dublin Registration Area and in eleven provincial Urban Districts of the Irish Free State, with the annual rates per 1,000 of the population represented thereby, which, for the purposes of these Returns, is estimated at 662,256, are given in Table I. The deaths from all causes appertaining to the undermentioned areas for last week and for the past four weeks, respectively, were equal to the following annual rates per 1,000 of the population:—

Twelve Town Districts, 25·4 and 22·3; Dublin Registration Area, 28·5 and 23·7; Dublin City, 29·5 and 25·1; Cork, 23·1 and 21·1; Limerick, 20·3 and 24·7, and Waterford, 22·8 and 18·1.

The deaths* from certain epidemic diseases † registered in the 12 town districts during last week were equal to an annual rate of 2·1 per 1,000. Among the 34 deaths from all causes for Cork are one from measles, one from diarrhœa and enteritis of a child under 2 years and one from influenza. The 15 deaths from all causes for Limerick include one from whooping-cough and one from diphtheria, and 2 of the 12 deaths from all causes for Waterford are from diarrhœa and enteritis of children under 2 years.

DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA.

In the Dublin Registration Area the total number of births registered during the week amounted to 226—110 boys and 116 girls—and the deaths to 245—115 males and 130 females.

The deaths registered, omitting the deaths (numbering 12) of persons admitted into public institutions from localities outside the Area, represent an annual rate of mortality of 28·5 per 1,000 of the population. During the fourteen weeks ending with Saturday last, the death-rate averaged 23·5 and was 0·8 below the mean rate for the corresponding portions of the ten years 1912-21. The rate for all deaths registered during the fourteen weeks was 25·1 and for the corresponding period of the preceding ten years 26·0.

Included in the 233 deaths appertaining to the Area are 10 from measles, 3 from whooping-cough, 3 from diphtheria, 4 from diarrhœa and enteritis of children under 2 years, 6 from influenza and one from encephalitis lethargica. In the 3 preceding weeks deaths from measles were 10, 7, and 8; deaths from whooping-cough 4, one, and one; deaths from diphtheria one, 2, and 2; deaths from diarrhœa and enteritis of children under 2 years 2, 4, and 2; and deaths from influenza 9, 6, and 2.

There were 32 deaths from pneumonia, comprising 19 from broncho-pneumonia, 5 from lobar pneumonia, and 8 from pneumonia (type not distinguished).

Tuberculous disease caused 15 deaths (including 13 from pulmonary tuberculosis, one from tuberculous meningitis, and one from disseminated tuberculosis), as against 19, 32, and 23 from all forms of tuberculous disease in the 3 weeks preceding.

Fifteen deaths were caused by cancer, 19 by organic diseases of the heart, and 38 by bronchitis.

Six accidental deaths were recorded, one being caused by burns and one by drowning.

Among deaths of infants under one year old, one was due to encephalitis lethargica one to disseminated tuberculosis, 5 to convulsions, 7 to bronchitis, 6 to broncho-pneumonia, one to lobar pneumonia, one to pneumonia (type not distinguished), 4 to diarrhœa and enteritis, 2 to congenital malformations, 5 to premature birth, and 5 to congenital debility.

Seventy-six of the deaths registered during the week, appertaining to the Area, were those of children under 5 years of age, 41 being infants under one year, of whom 10 were under one month old, and 58 deaths were those of persons aged 65 and upwards, of whom 43 were 70 years of age or over.

Of the 233 deaths recorded, 70 occurred in hospitals and other public institutions.

ENGLAND AND SCOTLAND.

The mortality among civilians for the week ended 8th April, in 105 large English towns (including London in which the rate was 17·5) was equal to an average annual death rate of 16·6 per 1,000 of the estimated civil population.

The average death-rate for 16 principal towns of Scotland was 19·3 per 1,000 persons living, the rate for Glasgow being 19·2 and for Edinburgh 14·9.

* Exclusive of the deaths of persons admitted into public institutions from without the respective districts.
† Enteric fever, typhus, small-pox, measles, scarlet fever, whooping-cough, diphtheria, dysentery, and diarrhœal diseases.

TABLE I.—BIRTHS and DEATHS registered during the week ending Saturday, 8th April, 1922, in the DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA, in each of the under-mentioned 11 CITIES OR URBAN DISTRICTS, and in BELFAST and LONDONDERRY CITIES (*exclusive of Births and Deaths in Public Institutions relating to Persons admitted from other Districts*), the Number of Deaths from some of the PRINCIPAL CAUSES, and the Number of Uncertified Deaths with the Temperature and Rainfall for the week; also statistics regarding Births, Deaths and Meteorology in London, Edinburgh, and Glasgow.

TOWNS AND DISTRICTS.	POPULATION. Total (a)	Persons to an Acre.	REGISTRATION—WEEK ENDING SATURDAY, 8TH APRIL, 1922. Annual Rate per 1,000 Persons Represented by BIRTHS	DEATHS. From all Causes.	DEATHS. From certain Epidemic Diseases. (b)	NUMBERS REGISTERED. BIRTHS. Total Number.	DEATHS. Total Number.	Under 1 year of Age.	At 65 years and upwards.	Caused by: Enteric Fever.	Typhus.	Small-pox.	Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Whooping-cough.	Diphtheria.	Dysentery.	Influenza.	Tuberculosis. Pulmonary.	Other Forms.	Cancer.	Diseases of the Respiratory System. Pneumonia.	Other.	Diarrhœa and Enteritis of children under 2 years of age.	Diarrhœa, 2 years of age and upwards.	Violence.	Inquest Cases.	No. of Deaths in Public Institutions.	Number of Uncertified Deaths.	METEOROLOGY. (c) WEEK ENDING 8TH APRIL, 1922. Air Temperature. Absolute Highest.	Absolute Lowest.	Mean Maximum (A).	Mean Minimum (B).	Mean of (A) and (B).	Rainfall in Inches.
COLS.	(1)	(2)	3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)	(14)	(15)	(16)	(17)	(18)	(19)	(20)	(21)	(22)	(23)	(24)	(25)	(26)	(27)	(28)	(29)	(30)	(31)	(32)	(33)	(34)	(35)
TOTAL OF 12 TOWN DISTRICTS ...	662,256	18·9	24·8	25·4	2·1	315	323	54	87	.	.	.	11	.	4	4	.	7	22	6	19	36	61	8	.	8	6	104	14	.	.	.	.	.	.
DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA	427,000	30·5	24·1	28·5	2·4	197	233	41	58	.	.	.	10	.	3	3	.	6	13	2	15	32	43	4	.	6	5	70	4	(d) 50·8	20·4	47·0	28·0	37·5	0·47
Urban Districts. CITY OF DUBLIN	327,000	40·0	25·5	29·5	3·0	160	185	35	42	.	.	.	9	.	3	3	.	4	10	2	11	30	38	4	.	3	2	56	2	(e) 49·0 (f) 52·0	29·1 24·0	46·5 47·6	34·3 30·7	40·4 39·1	0·44 0·44
Urban Districts. RATHMINES and RATHGAR ...	41,500	24·2	22·6	22·6	.	18	18	2	7	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	3	1	2	.	.	1	1	4	1	.	.	.	.	.	.
Urban Districts. PEMBROKE ...	31,100	19·8	8·4	31·9	1·7	5	19	2	7	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	3	.	.	1	1	.	.	1	1	6	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Urban Districts. BLACKROCK ...	9,900	9·1	15·8	21·1	.	3	4	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	1	1	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Urban Districts. DÚN LAOGHAIRE	17,500	12·0	32·8	20·9	.	11	7	2	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	2	1	50	29	45·1	34·2	39·7	0·58
Urban Districts. CORK	76,673	28·6	23·8	23·1	1·4	35	34	4	9	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	1	4	1	2	2	8	1	.	2	1	15	2	52	35	49·1	38·0	43·6	0·51
Urban Districts. LIMERICK ...	38,518	16·1	55·5	20·3	2·7	41	15	2	5	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	.	1	.	.	1	4	.	.	.	.	9	1	.	.	.	.	.	.
Urban Districts. WATERFORD ...	27,464	19·1	28·5	22·8	3·8	15	12	2	6	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	1	.	1	2	.	.	.	5	2	.	.	.	.	.	.
Urban Districts. GALWAY	13,255	2.5	The annual rates			5	3	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	1	1	54	30	52	32	42	0·45
Urban Districts. DUNDALK ...	13,128	9·5	represented by the			4	5	2	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.
Urban Districts. DROGHEDA ...	12,501	8·4	numbers of births			3	3	1	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Urban Districts. WEXFORD ...	11,531	22·8	and deaths regis-			5	7	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	1	2	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.
Urban Districts. SLIGO	11,163	3·8	tered for these			4	3	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	1	.	53	23	50	27	38·5	0·57
Urban Districts. KILKENNY ...	10,514	11·4	urban districts will			2	2	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	1	52	28	46·2	31·7	38·9	0·00
Urban Districts. TRALEE ...	10,300	17·4	be shown in the			1	3	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Urban Districts. CLONMEL ...	10,209	4·8	Quarterly Summary			3	3	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
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BELFAST CITY	425,000	24·3	26·9	18·8	0·6	219	153	17	45	.	.	.	.	.	1	2	.	5	24	3	9	6	14	2	.	21	22	52	4	51·0	27·4	44·2	28·9	36·6	0·00
LONDONDERRY CITY ...	46,000	36·3	26·0	15·9	2·3	23	14	6	2	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	.	2	.	1	2	2	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.
LONDON	4,476,238	—	—	17·5	—	1,813	1,514	228	478	1	.	.	115	7	46	22	—	—	108	27	129	187	151	15	3	30	102	697	2	51	25	45·7	33·1	39·4	1·13
EDINBURGH	420,486	—	—	14·9	1·4	191	120	24	35	.	.	.	3	.	3	3	—	.	—	—	—	18		2	—	3	—	—	—	46·0	30·0	43·3	32·1	37·7	0·07
GLASGOW	1,037,845	—	—	19·2	4·9	556	382(g)	79	86	.	.	.	89	1	1	3	—	3	—	—	—	55		3	—	14	—	—	—	47·7	29·2	44·9	31·9	38·4	0·17

(a) According to the Census of 1911, but in the cases of the Dublin Registration Area and its component parts, the population given is that estimated to the middle of 1922. The estimate shown for London relates to the civil population in 1921. The population for Glasgow and Edinburgh is that provisionally estimated to the middle of 1922. (b) See note (†) at foot of first page. (c) The observations shown for Cork were taken at Roche's Point, and those for Sligo at Markree. (d) Observations at Ordnance Survey Office, Phœnix Park. (e) Observations by Sir John Moore, taken at Fitzwilliam Square. (f) Observations by Sir Frederick W. Moore, taken at the Botanic Gardens, Glasnevin. (g) Including 2 deaths from cerebro-spinal meningitis

TABLE II.—Showing for the WEEK ENDED 8TH APRIL, 1922, the number of DEATHS of Residents of the several REGISTRARS' DISTRICTS in the DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA, and in the CITY OF CORK, the annual Rate per 1,000 of the Population of the respective Districts represented thereby, and by the Deaths from the principal Epidemic Diseases†; with the mortality from some of the principal causes; also the Deaths at certain age-periods, and the number of Uncertified Deaths, *the Deaths in Public Institutions being assigned to the Districts from which the deceased were admitted.*

REGISTRARS' DISTRICTS, &c.	Estimated Population middle of 1922.*	Annual Rate of Mortality per 1,000 Living represented by Deaths. From all causes	From certain Epidemic Diseases†	Total Deaths.	Under 1 year.	1 and under 2.	2 and under 5.	5 and under 15.	15 and under 25.	25 and under 45.	45 and under 65.	65 and upwards.	Enteric Fever.	Typhus.	Small-pox.	Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Whooping-cough.	Diphtheria.	Dysentery.	Influenza.	Tuberculosis. Pulmonary.	Tuberculosis. Other Forms.	Cancer.	Diseases of Respiratory System. Pneumonia.	Diseases of Respiratory System. Other.	Diarrhœa and Enteritis of Children under 2 years.	Diarrhœa, 2 years and upwards.	Violence.	Other Causes.	Inquest Cases.	In Institutions. Prisons, Lunatic Asylums.	In Institutions. Workhouse Hospitals.	Number of Uncertified Deaths.
					WEEK ENDED SATURDAY 8TH APRIL, 1922. DEATHS. CAUSED BY																													
Cols.	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)	(14)	(15)	(16)	(17)	(18)	(19)	(20)	(21)	(22)	(23)	(24)	(25)	(26)	(27)	(28)	(29)	(30)	(31)	(32)	(33)	34)
DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA.																																		
Dublin City Districts. North City, No. 1, E.	31,600	26·4	5·0	16	5	.	.	1	.	1	5	4	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	1	.	1	2	.	.	9	.	4	1	.
" 1, W.	43,300	34·9	3·6	29	2	5	1	.	1	4	7	9	.	.	.	2	.	1	.	.	.	1	.	2	6	7	.	.	2	8	1	7	3	1
" 2	29,000	32·4	7·2	18	5	1	2	1	.	4	3	2	.	.	.	2	.	1	.	.	.	2	.	1	.	4	1	.	.	7	.	3	2	1
" 3	35,900	33·4	4·4	23	6	3	1	.	.	2	9	2	.	.	.	1	.	.	1	.	.	1	1	.	4	5	1	.	.	9	.	4	2	.
Clontarf and Howth, No. 1, part of	5,800	18·0	.	2	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Coolock and Drumcondra, part of	14,300	18·2	.	5	1	.	.	.	.	.	2	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	1	1	.	.	.	2	.	.	.	.
Finglas and Glasnevin, part of	11,700	22·3	4·5	5	1	.	1	1	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	.	1	1	1	2	.	.
South City, No. 1	45,300	24·2	.	21	1	3	1	.	.	6	6	4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	4	.	3	3	5	.	.	.	5	.	5	3	.
" 2	19,100	43·7	2·7	16	3	1	.	1	1	2	4	4	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	.	3	5	.	.	.	5	.	.	4	.
" 3	45,600	33·2	2·3	29	8	6	1	.	1	2	4	7	.	.	.	1	.	.	1	.	.	.	1	2	6	6	.	.	.	12	.	10	1	.
" 4	34,500	28·7	1·5	19	2	3	1	1	.	1	4	7	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	2	4	2	.	.	.	10	.	3	2	.
New Kilmainham	10,900	9·6	4·8	2	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Urban Districts. Rathmines and Rathgar	41,500	22·6	.	18	2	.	.	1	.	1	7	7	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	3	1	2	.	.	1	9	1	4	.	1
Pembroke	31,100	31·9	1·7	19	2	.	2	.	2	1	5	7	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	3	.	.	1	1	.	.	1	12	1	6	.	.
Blackrock	9,900	21·1	.	4	.	.	.	.	.	1	2	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	1	2	1	2	.	.
Dún Laoghaire	17,500	20·9	.	7	2	.	1	.	.	1	2	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	5	.	2	.	1
Total City of Dublin	327,000	29·5	3·0	185	35	23	9	5	4	23	44	42	.	.	.	9	.	3	3	.	4	10	2	11	30	38	4	.	3	63	2	38	18	2
Total Urban Districts	100,000	25·0	0·5	48	6	.	3	1	2	4	16	16	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	2	3	.	4	2	5	.	.	3	28	3	14	.	2
Total Dublin Registration Area	427,000	28·5	2·4	233	41	23	12	6	6	27	60	58	.	.	.	10	.	3	3	.	6	13	2	15	32	43	4	.	6	96	5	52	18	4
Deaths relating to residents of localities situated outside the Registration Area (not included in above)				12	1	.	.	.	.	4	3	4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	2	1	.	.	.	.	7	.	11	1	.
CITY OF CORK.																																		
Cork City Districts. Cork Urban, No. 1	13,455	15·5	.	4	.	.	.	1	.	1	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	1	.	2	.	.
" 2	10,399	35·1	.	7	.	1	.	.	.	2	3	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	1	.	2	.	.	1	1	.	3	1	.
" 3	9,793	10·6	5·3	2	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	1	.	1	.	.
" 4	9,139	11·4	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	2	.	.
" 5	6,250	58·4	8·3	7	1	1	.	.	.	.	5	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	2	.	.	1	2	1	4	.	.
" 6	11,581	18·0	.	4	1	.	.	.	.	1	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	1	.	.	.	2	.	.	.	.
" 7	16,056	26·0	.	8	1	.	.	.	.	.	3	4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	1	2	.	.	.	4	.	3	1	.
Total City of Cork	76,673	23·1	1·4	34	4	2		1		4	14	9	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	1	4	1	2	2	8	1	.	2	12	1	15		2

* The populations given for the City of Cork and its component parts are those according to the Census of 1911.

† See note (†) at foot of first page.

TABLE III.—Showing the NUMBER of CASES of INFECTIOUS DISEASES notified in the Dublin Registration Area (viz. :—the City of Dublin, and the Urban Districts of Rathmines and Rathgar, Pembroke, Blackrock and Dún Laoghaire), and in the Cities of Cork, Limerick, and Waterford, during the week ended 8th April, 1922, and each of the preceding three weeks, as furnished by the respective Sanitary Authorities. A dash (—) denotes that the disease in question is not notifiable in the District.

Cities and Urban Districts.	Week ending	Enteric Fever.	Typhus.	Pyrexia—Continued Fever.	Relapsing Fever.	Small-pox.	Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Whooping-cough.	Diphtheria (including Membranous Croup).	Erysipelas.	Puerperal Fever.	Diarrhœal Diseases.	Dysentery.	Malaria.	Trench Fever.	Acute Primary Pneumonia and Acute Influenzal Pneumonia.	Cerebro-spinal Fever.	Acute Poliomyelitis.	Encephalitis Lethargica	Tuberculosis.	Total.
City of Dublin	Mar. 18	.	.	.	.	.	—	2	—	6	1	.	—	.	1	.	4	.	.	—	8	22
	Mar. 25	.	.	.	.	.	—	2	—	4	1	.	—	.	.	.	4	.	.	—	12	23
	Apr. 1	.	.	.	.	.	—	6	—	9	2	1	—	1	.	.	3	.	.	—	23	45
	Apr. 8	.	.	.	.	.	—	12	—	7	1	1	—	.	.	.	7	.	.	—	11	39
Rathmines & Rathgar Urban District	Mar. 18	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	2	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	2
	Mar. 25	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	1	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	1
	Apr. 1	.	.	.	.	.	—	1	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	1
	Apr. 8	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	1	1	.	—	.	.	.	1	.	.	—	—	3
Pembroke Urban District	Mar. 18	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	2
	Mar. 25	1	.	.	.	.	9	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	10
	Apr. 1	.	.	.	.	.	9	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	9
	Apr. 8	.	.	.	.	.	5	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	5
Blackrock Urban District	Mar. 18	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.
	Mar. 25	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.
	Apr 1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.
	Apr. 8	.	.	.	.	.	3	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	3
Dún Laoghaire Urban District	Mar. 18	.	.	.	.	.	—	2	—	1	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	3
	Mar. 25	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	1	.	—	.	1	.	.	—	.	—	.	2
	Apr 1	.	.	.	.	.	—	1	—	1	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	2
	Apr. 8	.	.	.	.	.	—	3	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	3
City of Cork	Mar. 18	.	.	.	.	.	3	.	—	7	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	—	10
	Mar. 25	.	.	.	.	.	4	.	—	9	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	—	13
	Apr. 1	.	.	.	.	.	4	.	—	13	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	—	17
	Apr. 8	.	.	.	.	.	16	.	—	5	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	—	21*a*
City of Limerick	Mar. 18	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	4	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	4
	Mar. 25	.	.	.	.	.	—	1	—	4	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	5
	Apr. 1	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	5	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	5
	Apr. 8	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	.
City of Waterford	Mar. 18	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	.	.
	Mar. 25	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	.	.
	Apr. 1	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	.	.
	Apr. 8	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	.	.

(*a*) Not including one case of Varicella.

TABLE IV.—Showing the NUMBER of CASES of the undermentioned DISEASES treated in Dublin Hospitals during the week ended Saturday, 8th April, 1922, with the number under treatment at the close of each of the last four weeks.

Diseases	No. of Cases in Hospital at close of week ended			Week ended 8th April,			
	Mar. 18	Mar. 25	Apr. 1	No. admitted.	Dis-charged.	Died.	No. under treatment at close of week.
Enteric Fever, ...	3	8	7	2	.	.	9
Typhus, ...	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Small-pox, ...	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Measles, ...	63	67	72	24	20	.	76
Scarlet Fever, ...	29	30	30	19	9	.	40*
Diphtheria, ...	31	33	39	14	12	2	39
Pneumonia, ...	30	34	36	9	12	1	32

* Exclusive of 10 patients in "Beneavin," the Convalescent Home of Cork Street Fever Hospital.

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TWELVE TOWN DISTRICTS.

The Births and Deaths * registered in the Dublin Registration Area and in eleven provincial Urban Districts of the Irish Free State, with the annual rates per 1,000 of the population represented thereby, which, for the purposes of these Returns, is estimated at 662,256, are given in Table I. The deaths from all causes appertaining to the undermentioned areas for last week and for the past four weeks, respectively, were equal to the following annual rates per 1,000 of the population:—

Twelve Town Districts, 25·1 and 23·2; Dublin Registration Area, 28·2 and 25·1; Dublin City, 28·4 and 26·0; Cork, 24·5 and 21·9; Limerick, 13·5 and 22·7, and Waterford, 7·6 and 15·2.

The deaths* from certain epidemic diseases † registered in the 12 town districts during last week were equal to an annual rate of 1·8 per 1,000. Among the 36 deaths from all causes for Cork are one from typhus, one from diphtheria, and one from influenza, and the 9 deaths from all causes for Kilkenny include one from whooping-cough and one from diphtheria.

DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA.

In the Dublin Registration Area the total number of births registered during the week amounted to 206—99 boys and 107 girls—and the deaths to 243—133 males and 110 females.

The deaths registered, omitting the deaths (numbering 12) of persons admitted into public institutions from localities outside the Area, represent an annual rate of mortality of 28·2 per 1,000 of the population. During the fifteen weeks ending with Saturday last, the death-rate averaged 23·8 and was 0·6 below the mean rate for the corresponding portions of the ten years 1912-21. The rate for all deaths registered during the fifteen weeks was 25·4 and for the corresponding period of the preceding ten years 26·0.

Included in the 231 deaths appertaining to the Area are 11 from measles, 2 from whooping-cough, 2 from diphtheria, 4 from diarrhœa and enteritis of children under 2 years, and 3 from influenza. In the 3 preceding weeks deaths from measles were 7, 8, and 10; deaths from whooping-cough one, one, and 3; deaths from diphtheria 2, 2, and 3; deaths from diarrhœa and enteritis of children under 2 years 4, 2, and 4, and deaths from influenza 6, 2, and 6.

There were 34 deaths from pneumonia, comprising 17 from broncho-pneumonia, 5 from lobar pneumonia, and 12 from pneumonia (type not distinguished).

Tuberculous disease caused 24 deaths (including 20 from pulmonary tuberculosis, one from tuberculous meningitis, and 3 from other forms of tuberculous disease), as against 32, 23, and 15 from all forms of tuberculous disease in the 3 weeks preceding.

Fifteen deaths were caused by cancer, 23 by organic diseases of the heart, and 36 by bronchitis.

Seven accidental deaths were recorded, of which 2 were caused by burns and scalds and 2 by gunshot wounds.

Among deaths of infants under one year old, one was due to whooping-cough, one to disseminated tuberculosis, one to venereal disease, 2 to meningitis, 4 to convulsions, 3 to bronchitis, 8 to broncho-pneumonia, 4 to diarrhœa and enteritis, one to congenital malformation, one to premature birth, and 8 to congenital debility.

Seventy of the deaths registered during the week, appertaining to the Area, were those of children under 5 years of age, 38 being infants under one year, of whom 10 were under one month old, and 54 deaths were those of persons aged 65 and upwards, of whom 40 were 70 years of age or over.

Of the 231 deaths recorded, 92 occurred in hospitals and other public institutions.

ENGLAND AND SCOTLAND.

The mortality among civilians for the week ended 15th April, in 105 large English towns (including London in which the rate was 16·7) was equal to an average annual death rate of 16·3 per 1,000 of the estimated civil population.

The average death-rate for 16 principal towns of Scotland was 19·9 per 1,000 persons living, the rate for Glasgow being 20·9 and for Edinburgh 16·1.

* Exclusive of the deaths of persons admitted into public institutions from without the respective districts.
† Enteric fever, typhus, small-pox, measles, scarlet fever, whooping-cough, diphtheria, dysentery, and diarrhœal diseases.

TABLE I.—BIRTHS and DEATHS registered during the week ending Saturday, 15th April, 1922, in the DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA, in each of the under-mentioned 11 CITIES OR URBAN DISTRICTS, and in BELFAST and LONDONDERRY CITIES (*exclusive of Births and Deaths in Public Institutions relating to Persons admitted from other Districts*), the Number of Deaths from some of the PRINCIPAL CAUSES, and the Number of Uncertified Deaths with the Temperature and Rainfall for the week; also statistics regarding Births, Deaths and Meteorology in London, Edinburgh, and Glasgow.

TOWNS AND DISTRICTS.	Population. Total (a)	Population. Persons to an Acre.	Annual Rate per 1,000 Persons Represented by Births.	Annual Rate per 1,000 Persons Represented by Deaths. From all Causes.	Annual Rate per 1,000 Persons Represented by Deaths. From certain Epidemic Diseases. (b)	Registration—Week ending Saturday, 15th April, 1922. Numbers Registered. Births. Total Number.	Deaths. Total Number.	Deaths. Under 1 year of Age.	Deaths. At 65 years and upwards.	Deaths. Caused by. Enteric Fever.	Typhus.	Small-pox.	Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Whooping-cough.	Diphtheria.	Dysentery.	Influenza.	Tuberculosis. Pulmonary.	Tuberculosis. Other Forms.	Cancer.	Diseases of the Respiratory System. Pneumonia.	Diseases of the Respiratory System. Other.	Diarrhœa and Enteritis of children under 2 years of age.	Diarrhœa, 2 years of age and upwards.	Violence.	Inquest Cases.	No. of Deaths in Public Institutions.	Number of Uncertified Deaths.	Meteorology. (c) Week ending 15th April, 1922. Air Temperature. Absolute Highest.	Absolute Lowest.	Mean Maximum (A).	Mean Minimum (B).	Mean of (A) and (B).	Rainfall in Inches.
COLS.	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)	(14)	(15)	(16)	(17)	(18)	(19)	(20)	(21)	(22)	(23)	(24)	(25)	(26)	(27)	(28)	(29)	(30)	(31)	(32)	(33)	(34)	(35)
TOTAL OF 12 TOWN DISTRICTS ...	662,256	18·9	19·7	25·1	1·8	250	319	49	80	.	1	.	11	.	3	4	.	5	29	7	20	36	48	4	.	10	9	130	13	° .	° .	° .	° .	° .	° .
DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA	427,000	30·5	23·2	28·2	2·3	190	231	38	54	.	.	.	11	.	2	2	.	3	20	4	15	34	39	4	.	7	8	92	6	(d) 55·0	24·6	49·7	30·3	40·0	1·00
Urban Districts. CITY OF DUBLIN	327,000	40·0	24·7	28·4	2·7	155	178	29	35	.	.	.	10	.	2	1	.	3	14	4	12	23	33	4	.	2	5	73	3	(e) 53·2 (f) 53·0	30·9 26·0	49·1 49·6	35·7 32·4	42·4 41·0	1·26 1·10
Urban Districts. RATHMINES and RATHGAR ...	41,500	24·2	23·9	28·9	.	19	23	5	9	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	3	.	1	5	2	.	.	1	1	5	3	.	.	.	.	.	.
Urban Districts. PEMBROKE ...	31,100	19·8	16·8	30·2	3·4	10	18	4	5	.	.	.	1	.	.	1	.	.	3	.	1	2	3	.	.	2	1	8	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Urban Districts. BLACKROCK ...	9,900	9·1	5·3	21·1	.	1	4	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Urban Districts. DÚN LAOGHAIRE	17,500	12·0	14·9	23·8	.	5	8	.	4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	3	.	.	.	2	1	4	.	54	32	50·4	35·7	43·1	1·30
Urban Districts. CORK	76,673	28·6	11·6	24·5	1·4	17	36	5	9	.	1	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	5	.	3	1	6	.	.	.	.	16	1	53	34	49·7	37·9	43·8	1·93
Urban Districts. LIMERICK ...	38,518	16·1	14·9	13·5	.	11	10	3	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	5	3	.	.	.	.	.	.
Urban Districts. WATERFORD ...	27,464	19·1	9·5	7·6	.	5	4	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Urban Districts. GALWAY	13,255	2.5	The annual rates represented by the numbers of births and deaths registered for these urban districts will be shown in the Quarterly Summary of the Weekly Returns.			3	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	55	30	51	32	41·5	1·22
Urban Districts. DUNDALK ...	13,128	9·5				1	10	2	5	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	1	.	.	1	.	4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Urban Districts. DROGHEDA ...	12,501	8·4				7	5	1	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.
Urban Districts. WEXFORD ...	11,531	22·8				3	6	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	1	1	.	.	1	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Urban Districts. SLIGO	11,163	3·8				.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	53	29	49	31	40	2·20
Urban Districts. KILKENNY ...	10,514	11·4				1	9	.	4	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	.	1	.	.	.	1	.	.	1	.	6	2	56	27	50·2	31·7	40·9	1·12
Urban Districts. TRALEE ...	10,300	17·4				5	5	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Urban Districts. CLONMEL	10,209	4·8				7	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
BELFAST CITY	425,000	24·3	24·7	16·3	0·2	201	133	12	39	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	10	5	4	12	17	1	1	11	16	35	2	52·0	25·5	48·9	32·2	40·6	1·88
LONDONDERRY CITY ...	46,000	36·3	21·5	15·9	.	19	14	1	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	2	3	2	3	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
LONDON	4,476,238	—	—	16·7	—	1,645	1,446	197	491	1	.	.	101	6	47	23	—	—	100	21	119	201	164	7	2	28	86	704	3	70	31	56·7	39·6	48·2	0·60
EDINBURGH	420,486	—	—	16·1	0·9	171	130	21	46	.	.	.	1	.	2	2	—	4	—	—	—	23		2	—	7	—	—	—	51·0	30·0	46·4	33·9	40·1	0·74
GLASGOW	1,037,845	—	—	20·9	5·1	478	415	73	84	.	.	.	90	1	6	3	—	2	—	—	—	75		2	—	5	—	—	—	50·0	31·0	47·6	34·3	41·0	1·44

(a) According to the Census of 1911, but in the cases of the Dublin Registration Area and its component parts, the population given is that estimated to the middle of 1922. The estimate shown for London relates to the civil population in 1921. The population for Glasgow and Edinburgh is that provisionally estimated to the middle of 1922. (b) See note (†) at foot of first page. (c) The observations shown for Cork were taken at Roche's Point, and those for Sligo at Markree. (d) Observations at Ordnance Survey Office, Phœnix Park. (e) Observations by Sir John Moore, taken at Fitzwilliam Square. (f) Observations by Sir Frederick W. Moore, taken at the Botanic Gardens, Glasnevin.

TABLE II.—Showing for the WEEK ENDED 15TH APRIL, 1922, the number of DEATHS of Residents of the several REGISTRARS' DISTRICTS in the DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA, and in the CITY OF CORK, the annual Rate per 1,000 of the Population of the respective Districts represented thereby, and by the Deaths from the principal Epidemic Diseases†; with the mortality from some of the principal causes; also the Deaths at certain age-periods, and the number of Uncertified Deaths, *the Deaths in Public Institutions being assigned to the Districts from which the deceased were admitted.*

WEEK ENDED SATURDAY 15TH APRIL, 1922.

REGISTRARS' DISTRICTS, &c.	Estimated Population middle of 1922.*	Annual Rate of Mortality per 1,000 Living represented by Deaths. From all causes	From certain Epidemic Diseases†	Total Deaths.	Under 1 year.	1 and under 2.	2 and under 5.	5 and under 15.	15 and under 25.	25 and under 45.	45 and under 65.	65 and upwards.	Enteric Fever.	Typhus.	Small-pox.	Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Whooping-cough.	Diphtheria.	Dysentery.	Influenza.	Tuberculosis. Pulmonary.	Tuberculosis. Other Forms.	Cancer.	Diseases of Respiratory System. Pneumonia.	Diseases of Respiratory System. Other.	Diarrhœa and Enteritis of Children under 2 years.	Diarrhœa, 2 years and upwards.	Violence.	Other Causes.	Inquest Cases.	In Institutions. Prisons Hospitals and Lunatic Asylums.	In Institutions. In Workhouse Hospitals.	Number of Uncertified Deaths.
					DEATHS.								CAUSED BY																					
Cols.	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)	(14)	(15)	(16)	(17)	(18)	(19)	(20)	(21)	(22)	(23)	(24)	(25)	(26)	(27)	(28)	(29)	(30)	(31)	(32)	(33)	34)
DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA.																																		
Dublin City Districts. North City, No. 1, E.	31,600	29·7	1·7	18	7	1	1	1	.	.	5	3	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	2	4	2	.	.	.	7	1	2	5	.
,, 1, W.	43,300	37·3	4·8	31	2	5	1	.	1	3	11	8	.	.	.	3	.	1	.	.	.	2	1	3	4	4	.	.	.	13	.	6	8	1
,, 2	29,000	27·0	1·8	15	5	2	1	.	.	2	5	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	1	.	3	2	.	.	1	7	2	4	1	.
,, 3	35,900	27·6	2·9	19	1	2	1	.	.	6	5	4	.	.	.	2	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	2	3	1	.	.	.	9	.	9	2	.
Clontarf and Howth, No. 1, part of	5,800	18·0	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	.	.
Coolock and Drumcondra, part of	14,300	3·6	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1
Finglas and Glasnevin, part of	11,700	8·9	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
South City, No. 1	45,300	31·1	3·5	27	3	.	2	1	1	5	7	8	.	.	.	2	.	.	.	.	2	3	1	1	.	8	1	.	.	9	.	8	6	1
,, 2	19,100	35·5	2·7	13	.	1	.	.	1	1	4	6	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	1	.	.	.	4	.	.	.	7	1	2	5	.
,, 3	45,600	30·9	4·6	27	6	4	3	1	2	2	7	2	.	.	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	4	.	2	4	8	2	.	.	5	.	9	1	.
,, 4	34,500	27·2	1·5	18	3	1	2	.	.	2	7	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	2	2	3	1	.	.	9	.	2	2	.
New Kilmainham	10,900	23·9	.	5	2	1	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	.	1	2	1	1	.	.
Urban Districts. Rathmines and Rathgar	41,500	28·9	.	23	5	1	1	.	3	1	3	9	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	3	.	1	5	2	.	.	1	11	1	5	.	3
Pembroke	31,100	30·2	3·4	18	4	1	1	1	.	2	4	5	.	.	.	1	.	.	1	.	.	3	.	1	2	3	.	.	2	5	1	8	.	.
Blackrock	9,900	21·1	.	4	.	.	.	.	.	1	2	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	.	.	2	.	1	1	.
Dún Laoghaire	17,500	23·8	.	8	.	.	.	2	.	1	1	4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	3	.	.	.	2	2	1	3	1	.
Total City of Dublin	327,000	28·4	2·7	178	29	17	11	3	6	23	54	35	.	.	.	10	.	2	1	.	3	14	4	12	23	33	4	.	2	70	5	43	30	3
Total Urban Districts	100,000	27·6	1·0	53	9	2	2	3	3	5	10	19	.	.	.	1	.	.	1	.	.	6	.	3	11	6	.	.	5	20	3	17	2	3
Total Dublin Registration Area	427,000	28·2	2·3	231	38	19	13	6	9	28	64	54	.	.	.	11	.	2	2	.	3	20	4	15	34	39	4	.	7	90	8	60	32	6
Deaths relating to residents of localities situated outside the Registration Area (not included in above)				12	.	.	.	.	5	2	3	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	3	.	2	2	1	.	.	.	4	.	11	1	.
CITY OF CORK.																																		
Cork City Districts. Cork Urban, No. 1	13,455	19·4	.	5	.	1		1		.	.	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	3	.	3		.
,, 2	10,399	45·1	5·0	9	2	.		1		1	4	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	1	.	.	.	2	.	.	.	5	.	3		1
,, 3	9,793	10·6	.	2	.	.		1		1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	1	.	1		.
,, 4	9,139	28·5	5·7	5	.	.		1		1	3	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	5		.
,, 5	6,250	25·0	.	3	.	.		.		.	1	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	2	.	1		.
,, 6	11,581	13·5	.	3	1	.		1		.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1		.
,, 7	16,056	29·2	.	9	2	1		.		.	4	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	2	.	2	.	.	.	4	.	2		.
Total City of Cork	76,673	24·5	1·4	36	5	2		5		3	12	9	.	1	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	5	.	3	1	6	.	.	.	18	.	16		1

* The populations given for the City of Cork and its component parts are those according to the Census of 1911.

† See note (†) at foot of first page.

TABLE III.—Showing the NUMBER of CASES of INFECTIOUS DISEASES notified in the Dublin Registration Area (viz. :—the City of Dublin, and the Urban Districts of Rathmines and Rathgar, Pembroke, Blackrock and Dún Laoghaire), and in the Cities of Cork, Limerick, and Waterford, during the week ended 15th April, 1922, and each of the preceding three weeks, as furnished by the respective Sanitary Authorities. A dash (—) denotes that the disease in question is not notifiable in the District.

Cities and Urban Districts.	Week ending	Enteric Fever.	Typhus.	Pyrexia—Continued Fever.	Relapsing Fever.	Small-pox.	Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Whooping-cough.	Diphtheria (including Membranous Croup).	Erysipelas.	Puerperal Fever.	Diarrhœal Diseases.	Dysentery.	Malaria.	Trench Fever.	Acute Primary Pneumonia and Acute Influenzal Pneumonia.	Cerebro-spinal Fever.	Acute Poliomyelitis.	Encephalitis Lethargica.	Tuberculosis.	Total.
City of Dublin	Mar. 25	.	.	.	.	.	—	2	—	4	1	.	—	.	.	.	4	.	.	—	12	23
	Apr. 1	.	.	.	.	.	—	6	—	9	2	1	—	1	.	.	3	.	.	—	23	45
	Apr. 8	.	.	.	.	.	—	12	—	7	1	1	—	.	.	.	7	.	.	—	11	39
	Apr. 15	1	.	.	.	.	—	5	—	5	4	.	—	.	.	.	4	.	.	—	16	35
Rathmines & Rathgar Urban District	Mar. 25	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	1	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	1
	Apr. 1	.	.	.	.	.	—	1	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	1
	Apr. 8	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	1	1	.	—	.	.	.	1	.	.	—	—	3
	Apr. 15	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	.
Pembroke Urban District	Mar. 25	1	.	.	.	.	9	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	10
	Apr. 1	.	.	.	.	.	9	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	9
	Apr. 8	.	.	.	.	.	5	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	5
	Apr. 15	.	.	.	.	.	6	1	.	1	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	8
Blackrock Urban District	Mar. 25	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.
	Apr 1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.
	Apr. 8	.	.	.	.	.	3	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	3
	Apr. 15	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.
Dún Laoghaire Urban District	Mar. 25	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	1	.	—	.	1	.	.	—	.	—	.	2
	Apr 1	.	.	.	.	.	—	1	—	1	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	2
	Apr. 8	.	.	.	.	.	—	3	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	3
	Apr. 15	.	.	.	.	.	—	1	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	1
City of Cork	Mar. 25	.	.	.	.	.	4	.	—	9	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	—	13
	Apr. 1	.	.	.	.	.	4	.	—	13	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	—	17
	Apr. 8	.	.	.	.	.	16	.	—	5	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	—	21*a*
	Apr. 15	.	.	.	.	.	23	1	—	11	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	—	36
City of Limerick	Mar. 25	.	.	.	.	.	—	1	—	4	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	5
	Apr. 1	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	5	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	5
	Apr. 8	.	.	.	.	.	—	1	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	1
	Apr. 15	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	1	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	1
City of Waterford	Mar. 25	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	.	.
	Apr. 1	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	.	.
	Apr. 8	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	.	.
	Apr. 15	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	.	.

(*a*) Not including one case of Varicella.

TABLE IV.—Showing the NUMBER of CASES of the undermentioned DISEASES treated in Dublin Hospitals during the week ended Saturday, 15th April, 1922, with the number under treatment at the close of each of the last four weeks.

Diseases	No. of Cases in Hospital at close of week ended			Week ended 15th April,			
	Mar. 25	Apr. 1	Apr. 8	No. admitted.	Dis-charged.	Died.	No. under treatment at close of week.
Enteric Fever, ...	8	7	9	1	2	.	8
Typhus, ...	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Small-pox, ...	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Measles, ...	67	72	76	17	17	3	73
Scarlet Fever, ...	30	30	40	7	1	.	46*
Diphtheria, ...	33	39	39	5	10	1	33
Pneumonia, ...	34	36	32	14	7	3	36

* Exclusive of 7 patients in "Beneavin," the Convalescent Home of Cork Street Fever Hospital.

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TWELVE TOWN DISTRICTS.

The Births and Deaths * registered in the Dublin Registration Area and in eleven provincial Urban Districts of the Irish Free State, with the annual rates per 1,000 of the population represented thereby, which, for the purposes of these Returns, is estimated at 662,256, are given in Table I. The deaths from all causes appertaining to the undermentioned areas for last week and for the past four weeks, respectively, were equal to the following annual rates per 1,000 of the population:—

Twelve Town Districts, 23·3 and 23·0; Dublin Registration Area, 24·5 and 25·1; Dublin City, 24·7 and 25·7; Cork, 23·1 and 21·3; Limerick, 31·1 and 21·0, and Waterford, 11·4 and 12·8.

The deaths* from certain epidemic diseases † registered in the 12 town districts during last week were equal to an annual rate of 1·5 per 1,000. Among the 34 deaths from all causes for Cork are 3 from measles, and one from diphtheria. The 23 deaths from all causes for Limerick include one from diphtheria, one from diarrhœa, and one from influenza, and of the 6 deaths from all causes for Waterford one is from diarrhœa and enteritis of a child under 2 years and one from influenza.

DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA.

In the Dublin Registration Area the total number of births registered during the week amounted to 198—96 boys and 102 girls—and the deaths to 216—117 males and 99 females.

The deaths registered, omitting the deaths (numbering 15) of persons admitted into public institutions from localities outside the Area, represent an annual rate of mortality of 24·5 per 1,000 of the population. During the sixteen weeks ending with Saturday last, the death-rate averaged 23·8 and was 0·6 below the mean rate for the corresponding portions of the ten years 1912-21. The rate for all deaths registered during the sixteen weeks was 25·5 and for the corresponding period of the preceding ten years 26·0.

Included in the 201 deaths appertaining to the Area are 8 from measles, one from scarlet fever, one from diphtheria, 2 from diarrhœa and enteritis of children under 2 years, and 2 from influenza. In the 3 preceding weeks deaths from measles were 8, 10, and 11; deaths from diphtheria 2, 3, and 2; deaths from diarrhœa and enteritis of children under 2 years 2, 4, and 4, and deaths from influenza 2, 6, and 3. There were no deaths from scarlet fever registered in the three preceding weeks.

There were 39 deaths from pneumonia, comprising 30 from broncho-pneumonia, and 9 from pneumonia (type not distinguished).

Tuberculous disease caused 21 deaths (including 15 from pulmonary tuberculosis, 2 from tuberculous meningitis, and 4 from other forms of tuberculous disease), as against 23, 15, and 24 from all forms of tuberculous disease in the 3 weeks preceding.

Five deaths were caused by cancer, 21 by organic diseases of the heart, and 32 by bronchitis.

Five accidental deaths were recorded, of which one was caused by drowning and 2 by gunshot wounds.

Among deaths of infants under one year old, one was due to measles, 2 to meningitis, 2 to convulsions, 10 to broncho-pneumonia, 2 to diarrhœa and enteritis, one to congenital malformation, one to premature birth, and 3 to congenital debility.

Fifty-three of the deaths registered during the week, appertaining to the Area, were those of children under 5 years of age, 23 being infants under one year, of whom 4 were under one month old, and 62 deaths were those of persons aged 65 and upwards, of whom 52 were 70 years of age or over.

Of the 201 deaths recorded, 69 occurred in hospitals and other public institutions.

ENGLAND AND SCOTLAND.

The mortality among civilians for the week ended 22nd April, in 105 large English towns (including London in which the rate was 16·2) was equal to an average annual death rate of 15·4 per 1,000 of the estimated civil population.

The average death-rate for 16 principal towns of Scotland was 18·8 per 1,000 persons living, the rate for Glasgow being 18·7 and for Edinburgh 16·4.

* Exclusive of the deaths of persons admitted into public institutions from without the respective districts.
† Enteric fever, typhus, small-pox, measles, scarlet fever, whooping-cough, diphtheria, dysentery, and diarrhœal diseases.

TABLE I.—BIRTHS and DEATHS registered during the week ending Saturday, 22nd April, 1922, in the DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA, in each of the under-mentioned 11 CITIES OR URBAN DISTRICTS, and in BELFAST and LONDONDERRY CITIES (*exclusive of Births and Deaths in Public Institutions relating to Persons admitted from other Districts*), the Number of Deaths from some of the PRINCIPAL CAUSES, and the Number of Uncertified Deaths with the Temperature and Rainfall for the week; also statistics regarding Births, Deaths and Meteorology in London, Edinburgh, and Glasgow.

TOWNS AND DISTRICTS.	Population. Total (a)	Population. Persons to an Acre.	Annual Rate per 1,000 Persons Represented by Births	Annual Rate per 1,000 Persons Represented by Deaths. From all Causes.	Annual Rate per 1,000 Persons Represented by Deaths. From certain Epidemic Diseases. (b)	Registration—Week ending Saturday, 22nd April, 1922. Numbers Registered. Births. Total Number	Deaths. Total Number	Deaths. Under 1 year of Age.	Deaths. At 65 years and upwards.	Deaths. Caused by Enteric Fever.	Typhus.	Small-pox.	Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Whooping-cough.	Diphtheria.	Dysentery.	Influenza.	Tuberculosis. Pulmonary.	Tuberculosis. Other Forms.	Cancer.	Diseases of the Respiratory System. Pneumonia.	Diseases of the Respiratory System. Other.	Diarrhœa and Enteritis of children under 2 years of age.	Diarrhœa, 2 years of age and upwards.	Violence.	Inquest Cases.	No. of Deaths in Public Institutions.	Number of Uncertified Deaths.	Meteorology. (c) Week ending 22nd April, 1922. Air Temperature. Absolute Highest.	Absolute Lowest.	Mean Maximum (A).	Mean Minimum (B).	Mean of (A) and (B).	Rainfall in Inches.
COLS.	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)	(14)	(15)	(16)	(17)	(18)	(19)	(20)	(21)	(22)	(23)	(24)	(25)	(26)	(27)	(28)	(29)	(30)	(31)	(32)	(33)	(34)	(35)
TOTAL OF 12 TOWN DISTRICTS ...	662,256	18·9	21·5	23·3	1·5	273	296	35	98	.	.	.	11	1	.	3	.	5	24	6	7	46	51	3	1	6	6	97	10	.	.	.	.	.	.
DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA	427,000	30·5	22·7	24·5	1·5	186	201	23	62	.	.	.	8	1	.	1	.	2	15	6	5	39	36	2	.	5	5	69	1	(d) 55·3	26·3	51·0	32·3	41·7	0·04
Urban Districts. CITY OF DUBLIN	327,000	40·0	24·6	24·7	1·6	154	155	19	41	.	.	.	7	1	.	.	.	1	13	4	3	28	31	2	.	4	4	53	1	(e) 54·1 (f) 55·2	34·0 28·0	51·4 51·3	37·6 34·0	44·5 42·6	0·05 0·08
Urban Districts. RATHMINES and RATHGAR ...	41,500	24·2	13·8	23·9	1·3	11	19	.	11	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	2	.	1	2	3	.	.	1	1	8	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Urban Districts. PEMBROKE ...	31,100	19·8	25·1	20·1	1·7	15	12	3	5	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	6	2	.	.	.	.	4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Urban Districts. BLACKROCK ...	9,900	9·1	5·3	15·8	.	1	3	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Urban Districts. DÚN LAOGHAIRE	17,500	12·0	14·9	35·8	.	5	12	1	4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	2	1	3	.	.	.	.	.	3	.	53	33	50·0	38·8	44·4	0·04
Urban Districts. CORK	76,673	28·6	19·0	23·1	2·7	28	34	4	11	.	.	.	3	.	.	1	.	.	5	.	.	2	5	.	.	.	.	8	5	55	37	52·0	40·0	46·0	0·12
Urban Districts. LIMERICK ...	38,518	16·1	8·1	31·1	2·7	6	23	2	9	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	2	.	1	.	9	.	1	.	.	10	2	.	.	.	.	.	.
Urban Districts. WATERFORD ...	27,464	19·1	19·0	11·4	1·9	10	6	1	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	1	1	.	1	.	.	.	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Urban Districts. GALWAY	13,255	2.5	The annual rates represented by the numbers of births and deaths registered for these urban districts will be shown in the Quarterly Summary of the Weekly Returns.			10	6	2	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Urban Districts. DUNDALK ...	13,128	9·5				8	5	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Urban Districts. DROGHEDA ...	12,501	8·4				8	8	.	4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Urban Districts. WEXFORD ...	11,531	22·8				6	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.
Urban Districts. SLIGO	11,163	3·8				1	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Urban Districts. KILKENNY ...	10,514	11·4				.	7	1	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	1	.	57	26	53	35	44	0·46
Urban Districts. TRALEE ...	10,300	17·4				2	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	3	1	58	30	48·0	34·1	41·2	0·42
Urban Districts. CLONMEL ...	10,209	4·8				8	2	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
BELFAST CITY	425,000	24·3	26·9	15·3	0·5	219	125	21	27	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	1	11	3	2	8	20	3	.	18	16	38	1	53·5	29·6	50·2	34·4	42·3	0·35
LONDONDERRY CITY ...	46,000	36·3	17·0	14·7	1·1	15	13	5	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	1	2	4	1	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.
LONDON	4,476,238	—	—	16·2	—	1,945	1,406	220	491	.	.	.	84	9	40	20	—	—	109	25	119	200	139	14	3	30	96	702	.	59	31	53·0	36·6	44·8	0·40
EDINBURGH	420,486	—	—	16·4	1·0	199	132	22	48	.	.	.	3	.	3	1	—	2	—	—	—	20		1	—	1	—	—	—	50·0	32·0	46·7	34·9	40·8	0·06
GLASGOW	1,037,845	—	—	18·7	3·8	690	372	75	82	.	.	.	67	1	3	1	—	2	—	—	—	85		3	—	7	—	—	—	.	.	.	.	.	.

(a) According to the Census of 1911, but in the cases of the Dublin Registration Area and its component parts, the population given is that estimated to the middle of 1922. The estimate shown for London relates to the civil population in 1921. The population for Glasgow and Edinburgh is that provisionally estimated to the middle of 1922. (b) See note (†) at foot of first page. (c) The observations shown for Cork were taken at Roche's Point, and those for Sligo at Markree. (d) Observations at Ordnance Survey Office, Phœnix Park. (e) Observations by Sir John Moore, taken at Fitzwilliam Square. (f) Observations by Sir Frederick W. Moore, taken at the Botanic Gardens, Glasnevin.

TABLE II.—Showing for the WEEK ENDED 22ND APRIL, 1922, the number of DEATHS of Residents of the several REGISTRARS' DISTRICTS in the DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA, and in the CITY OF CORK, the annual Rate per 1,000 of the Population of the respective Districts represented thereby, and by the Deaths from the principal Epidemic Diseases†; with the mortality from some of the principal causes; also the Deaths at certain age-periods, and the number of Uncertified Deaths, *the Deaths in Public Institutions being assigned to the Districts from which the deceased were admitted.*

WEEK ENDED SATURDAY 22ND APRIL, 1922.

REGISTRARS' DISTRICTS, &c.	Estimated Population middle of 1922.*	Annual Rate of Mortality per 1,000 Living represented by Deaths. From all causes	From certain Epidemic Diseases†	Total Deaths	Under 1 year.	1 and under 2.	2 and under 5.	5 and under 15.	15 and under 25.	25 and under 45.	45 and under 65.	65 and upwards.	Enteric Fever.	Typhus.	Small-pox.	Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Whooping-cough.	Diphtheria.	Dysentery.	Influenza.	Tuberculosis. Pulmonary.	Tuberculosis. Other Forms.	Cancer.	Diseases of Respiratory System. Pneumonia.	Diseases of Respiratory System. Other.	Diarrhœa and Enteritis of Children under 2 years.	Diarrhœa, 2 years and upwards.	Violence.	Other Causes.	Inquest Cases.	In Institutions. In Hospitals, Prisons and Lunatic Asylums.	In Institutions. In Workhouse Hospitals.	Number of Uncertified Deaths.
Cols.	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)	(14)	(15)	(16)	(17)	(18)	(19)	(20)	(21)	(22)	(23)	(24)	(25)	(26)	(27)	(28)	(29)	(30)	(31)	(32)	(33)	34)
DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA.																																		
Dublin City Districts. North City, No. 1, E.	31,600	24·8	1·7	15	2	1	1	.	1	3	4	3	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	4	.	.	.	2	6	2	4	.	.
,, 1, W.	43,300	24·1	1·2	20	3	3	1	2	2	2	4	3	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	2	2	1	5	1	.	.	.	8	.	6	3	.
,, 2	29,000	19·8	1·8	11	1	1	1	.	.	2	3	3	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	3	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	6	.	1	3	.
,, 3	35,900	24·7	.	17	3	1	.	1	.	3	6	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	4	3	.	.	1	9	1	4	2	1
Clontarf and Howth, No. 1, part of	5,800	18·0	.	2	1	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.
Coolock and Drumcondra, part of	14,300	10·9	.	3	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.
Finglas and Glasnevin, part of	11,700	22·3	.	5	.	.	.	.	.	2	1	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	2	.	.	.	2	.	1	1	.
South City, No. 1	45,300	29·9	3·5	26	.	2	2	.	1	2	9	10	.	.	.	3	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	1	1	8	.	.	.	11	.	4	8	.
,, 2	19,100	24·6	2·7	9	1	.	1	1	.	.	4	2	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	1	4	.	.	.	1	.	3	3	.
,, 3	45,600	26·3	1·1	23	3	4	.	1	1	3	4	7	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	4	10	.	.	.	8	.	1	3	.
,, 4	34,500	25·7	1·5	17	4	2	.	.	3	1	1	6	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	3	.	.	4	1	1	.	.	7	.	2	2	.
New Kilmainham	10,900	33·5	4·8	7	1	2	2	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	4	.	1	.	1	1	1	1	.	.
Urban Districts. Rathmines and Rathgar	41,500	23·9	1·3	19	.	1	1	1	1	3	1	11	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	2	.	1	2	3	.	.	1	9	1	8	.	.
Pembroke	31,100	20·1	1·7	12	3	4	.	.	.	.	.	5	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	6	2	.	.	.	3	.	3	1	.
Blackrock	9,900	15·8	.	3	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	3	.	1	.	.
Dún Laoghaire	17,500	35·8	.	12	1	.	.	.	2	2	3	4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	2	1	3	.	.	.	.	5	.	2	1	.
Total City of Dublin	327,000	24·7	1·6	155	19	16	8	6	9	19	37	41	.	.	.	7	1	.	.	.	1	13	4	3	28	31	2	.	4	61	4	28	25	1
Total Urban Districts	100,000	24·0	1·0	46	4	5	1	1	3	6	5	21	.	.	.	1	.	.	1	.	1	2	2	2	11	5	.	.	1	20	1	14	2	.
Total Dublin Registration Area	427,000	24·5	1·5	201	23	21	9	7	12	25	42	62	.	.	.	8	1	.	1	.	2	15	6	5	39	36	2	.	5	81	5	42	27	1
Deaths relating to residents of localities situated outside the Registration Area (not included in above)				15	.	1	.	.	1	1	10	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	6	.	1	.	.	3	4	2	15	.	.
CITY OF CORK.																																		
Cork City Districts. Cork Urban, No. 1	13,455	31·0	.	8	2	1		2		1	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	6	.	3		2
,, 2	10,399	40·1	15·0	8	.	3		1		2	1	1	.	.	.	2	.	.	1	.	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	3	.	1		.
,, 3	9,793	5·3	.	1	.	.		.		.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.		.
,, 4	9,139	11·4	.	2	.	2		.		.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.		.
,, 5	6,250	25·0	8·3	3	.	1		1		.	.	1	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	2		.
,, 6	11,581	9·0	.	2	1	.		.		.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	1	.	.		.
,, 7	16,056	32·5	.	10	1	.		.		1	3	5	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	.	8	.	2		3
Total City of Cork	76,673	23·1	2·7	34	4	7		4		4	4	11	.	.	.	3	.	.	1	.	.	5	.	.	2	5	.	.	.	18	.	8		5

* The populations given for the City of Cork and its component parts are those according to the Census of 1911. † See note (†) at foot of first page.

TABLE III.—Showing the NUMBER of CASES of INFECTIOUS DISEASES notified in the Dublin Registration Area (viz. :—the City of Dublin, and the Urban Districts of Rathmines and Rathgar, Pembroke, Blackrock and Dún Laoghaire), and in the Cities of Cork, Limerick, and Waterford, during the week ended 22nd April, 1922, and each of the preceding three weeks, as furnished by the respective Sanitary Authorities. A dash (—) denotes that the disease in question is not notifiable in the District.

Cities and Urban Districts.	Week ending	Enteric Fever.	Typhus.	Pyrexia—Continued Fever.	Relapsing Fever.	Small-pox.	Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Whooping-cough.	Diphtheria (including Membranous Croup).	Erysipelas.	Puerperal Fever.	Diarrhœal Diseases.	Dysentery.	Malaria.	Trench Fever.	Acute Primary Pneumonia and Acute Influenzal Pneumonia.	Cerebro-spinal Fever.	Acute Poliomyelitis.	Encephalitis Lethargica.	Tuberculosis.	Total.
City of Dublin	Apr. 1	.	.	.	.	.	—	6	—	9	2	1	—	1	.	.	3	.	.	—	23	45
	Apr. 8	.	.	.	.	.	—	12	—	7	1	1	—	.	.	.	7	.	.	—	11	39
	Apr. 15	1	.	.	.	.	—	5	—	5	4	.	—	.	.	.	4	.	.	—	16	35
	Apr. 22	1	.	.	.	.	—	4	—	6	3	.	—	1	.	.	10	.	.	—	7	32
Rathmines & Rathgar Urban District	Apr. 1	.	.	.	.	.	—	1	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	1
	Apr. 8	.	.	.	.	.	—		—	1	1	.	—	.	.	.	1	.	.	—	—	3
	Apr. 15	1	.	.	.	.	—	1	—	4	1	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	7
	Apr. 22	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	1	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	1
Pembroke Urban District	Apr. 1	.	.	.	.	.	9	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	9
	Apr. 8	.	.	.	.	.	5	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	5
	Apr. 15	.	.	.	.	.	6	1	.	1	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	8
	Apr. 22	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.
Blackrock Urban District	Apr. 1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.
	Apr. 8	.	.	.	.	.	3	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	3
	Apr. 15	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.
	Apr. 22	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.
Dún Laoghaire Urban District	Apr. 1	.	.	.	.	.	—	1	—	1	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	2
	Apr. 8	.	.	.	.	.	—	3	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	3
	Apr. 15	.	.	.	.	.	—	1	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	1
	Apr. 22	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.
City of Cork	Apr. 1	.	.	.	.	.	4	.	—	13	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	—	17
	Apr. 8	.	.	.	.	.	16	.	—	5	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	—	21*a*
	Apr. 15	.	.	.	.	.	23	1	—	11	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	—	36
	Apr. 22	.	.	.	.	.	26	.	—	7	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	—	33
City of Limerick	Apr. 1	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	5	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	5
	Apr. 8	.	.	.	.	.	—	1	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	1
	Apr. 15	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	1	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	1
	Apr. 22	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	1	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	1
City of Waterford	Apr. 1	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	.	.
	Apr. 8	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	.	.
	Apr. 15	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	.	.
	Apr. 22	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	.	.

(*a*) Not including one case of Varicella.

TABLE IV.—Showing the NUMBER of CASES of the undermentioned DISEASES treated in Dublin Hospitals during the week ended Saturday, 22nd April, 1922, with the number under treatment at the close of each of the last four weeks.

Diseases	No. of Cases in Hospital at close of week ended			Week ended 22nd April.			
	Apr. 1	Apr. 8	Apr. 15	No. admitted.	Discharged.	Died.	No. under treatment at close of week.
Enteric Fever, ...	7	9	8	.	.	.	8
Typhus, ...	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Small-pox, ...	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Measles, ...	72	76	73	7	21	.	59
Scarlet Fever, ...	30	40	46	8	10	2	42*
Diphtheria, ...	39	39	33	5	2	2	34
Pneumonia, ...	36	32	36	11	2	.	45

* Exclusive of 11 patients in "Beneavin," the Convalescent Home of Cork Street Fever Hospital.

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TWELVE TOWN DISTRICTS.

The Births and Deaths * registered in the Dublin Registration Area and in eleven provincial Urban Districts of the Irish Free State, with the annual rates per 1,000 of the population represented thereby, which, for the purposes of these Returns, is estimated at 662,256, are given in Table I. The deaths from all causes appertaining to the undermentioned areas for last week and for the past four weeks, respectively, were equal to the following annual rates per 1,000 of the population:—

Twelve Town Districts, 18·8 and 23·1; Dublin Registration Area, 18·1 and 24·8; Dublin City, 19·6 and 25·5; Cork, 25·8 and 24·1; Limerick, 28·4 and 23·3, and Waterford, 5·7 and 11·9.

The deaths* from certain epidemic diseases † registered in the 12 town districts during last week were equal to an annual rate of 1·8 per 1,000. Among the 38 deaths from all causes for Cork are 5 from measles, one from diphtheria, and one from diarrhœa and enteritis of a child under 2 years, and the 21 deaths from all causes for Limerick include one from diphtheria, and one from influenza.

DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA.

In the Dublin Registration Area the total number of births registered during the week amounted to 201—103 boys and 98 girls—and the deaths to 163—86 males and 77 females.

The deaths registered, omitting the deaths (numbering 15) of persons admitted into public institutions from localities outside the Area, represent an annual rate of mortality of 18·1 per 1,000 of the population. During the seventeen weeks ending with Saturday last, the death-rate averaged 23·5 and was 0·6 below the mean rate for the corresponding portions of the ten years 1912-21. The rate for all deaths registered during the seventeen weeks was 25·1 and for the corresponding period of the preceding ten years 25·8.

Included in the 148 deaths appertaining to the Area are 10 from measles, one from whooping-cough, one from diphtheria, 3 from diarrhœa and enteritis of children under 2 years, and 3 from influenza. In the 3 preceding weeks deaths from measles were 10, 11, and 8; deaths from whooping-cough, 3, 2, and 0; deaths from diphtheria 3, 2, and one; deaths from diarrhœa and enteritis of children under 2 years 4, 4, and 2, and deaths from influenza 6, 3, and 2.

There were 18 deaths from pneumonia, comprising 11 from broncho-pneumonia, 2 from lobar-pneumonia, and 5 from pneumonia (not otherwise difined).

Tuberculous disease caused 15 deaths (including 10 from pulmonary tuberculosis, 2 from tuberculous meningitis, and 3 from other forms of tuberculous disease), as against 15, 24, and 21 from all forms of tuberculous disease in the 3 weeks preceding.

Two deaths were caused by cancer, 12 by organic diseases of the heart, and 21 by bronchitis.

Three accidental deaths were recorded, of which one was caused by gunshot wounds.

Among deaths of infants under one year old, one was due to measles, one to diphtheria, one to tuberculous meningitis, one to meningitis, 3 to convulsions, one to bronchitis, 6 to broncho-pneumonia, 2 to pneumonia, 3 to diarrhœa and enteritis, 2 to congenital malformations, one to premature birth, and 7 to congenital debility.

Forty seven of the deaths registered during the week, appertaining to the Area, were those of children under 5 years of age, 30 being infants under one year, of whom 11 were under one month old, and 41 deaths were those of persons aged 65 and upwards, of whom 32 were 70 years of age or over.

Of the 148 deaths recorded, 50 occurred in hospitals and other public institutions.

ENGLAND AND SCOTLAND.

The mortality among civilians for the week ended 29th April, in 105 large English towns (including London in which the rate was 15·3) was equal to an average annual death rate of 15·0 per 1,000 of the estimated civil population.

The average death-rate for 16 principal towns of Scotland was 18·0 per 1,000 persons living, the rate for Glasgow being 17·9 and for Edinburgh 15·3.

* Exclusive of the deaths of persons admitted into public institutions from without the respective districts.
† Enteric fever, typhus, small-pox, measles, scarlet fever, whooping-cough, diphtheria, dysentery, and diarrhœal diseases.

TABLE I.—BIRTHS and DEATHS registered during the week ending Saturday, 29th April, 1922, in the DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA, in each of the under-mentioned 11 CITIES OR URBAN DISTRICTS, and in BELFAST and LONDONDERRY CITIES (*exclusive of Births and Deaths in Public Institutions relating to Persons admitted from other Districts*), the Number of Deaths from some of the PRINCIPAL CAUSES, and the Number of Uncertified Deaths with the Temperature and Rainfall for the week; also statistics regarding Births, Deaths and Meteorology in London, Edinburgh, and Glasgow.

TOWNS AND DISTRICTS.	Population. Total (a)	Population. Persons to an Acre.	Annual Rate per 1,000 Persons Represented by: Births	Deaths: From all Causes.	Deaths: From certain Epidemic Diseases. (b)	Registration—Week ending Saturday, 29th April, 1922. Numbers Registered. Births: Total Number	Deaths: Total Number	Under 1 year of Age.	At 65 years and upwards.	Caused by: Enteric Fever.	Typhus.	Small-pox.	Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Whooping-cough.	Diphtheria.	Dysentery.	Influenza.	Tuberculosis: Pulmonary.	Tuberculosis: Other Forms.	Cancer.	Diseases of the Respiratory System: Pneumonia.	Diseases of the Respiratory System: Other.	Diarrhœa and Enteritis of children under 2 years of age.	Diarrhœa, 2 years of age and upwards.	Violence.	Inquest Cases.	No. of Deaths in Public Institutions.	Number of Uncertified Deaths.	Meteorology. (c) Week ending 29th April, 1922. Air Temperature: Absolute Highest.	Absolute Lowest.	Mean Maximum (A).	Mean Minimum (B).	Mean of (A) and (B).	Rainfall in Inches.
COLS.	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)	(14)	(15)	(16)	(17)	(18)	(19)	(20)	(21)	(22)	(23)	(24)	(25)	(26)	(27)	(28)	(29)	(30)	(31)	(32)	(33)	(34)	(35)
TOTAL OF 12 TOWN DISTRICTS ...	662,256	18·9	22·2	18·8	1·8	282	239	40	59	.	.	.	15	.	1	3	.	5	22	5	8	26	33	4	.	5	5	81	12	.	.	.	.	.	.
DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA	427,000	30·5	22·7	18·1	1·8	186	148	30	41	.	.	.	10	.	1	1	.	3	10	5	2	18	22	3	.	3	3	50	5	(d) .	.	.	.	.	.
Urban Districts. CITY OF DUBLIN	327,000	40·0	25·7	19·6	2·2	161	123	24	33	.	.	.	10	.	1	1	.	3	9	5	1	16	20	2	.	3	3	41	5	(e) 53·1 (f) 53·0	33·1 28·4	49·8 50·4	37·5 35·8	43·7 43·1	0·49 0·64
Urban Districts. RATHMINES and RATHGAR ...	41,500	24·2	12·6	7·5	.	10	6	3	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	3	.						
Urban Districts. PEMBROKE ...	31,100	19·8	16·8	26·8	1·7	10	16	3	4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	1	2	1	.	.	.	6	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Urban Districts. BLACKROCK ...	9,900	9·1	10·5	5·3	.	2	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Urban Districts. DÚN LAOGHAIRE	17,500	12·0	8·9	6·0	.	3	2	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	54	37	49·5	38·1	43·8	0·59
Urban Districts. CORK	76,673	28·6	26·5	25·8	4·8	39	38	3	11	.	.	.	5	.	.	1	.	.	7	.	2	4	2	1	.	.	.	15	1	55	35	52·0	40·6	46·3	0·39
Urban Districts. LIMERICK ...	38,518	16·1	29·8	28·4	1·4	22	21	6	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	1	.	1	.	5	.	.	2	2	5	4	.	.	.	.	.	.
Urban Districts. WATERFORD ...	27,464	19·1	13·3	5·7	.	7	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Urban Districts. GALWAY	13,255	2.5	The annual rates			4	8	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	6	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Urban Districts. DUNDALK ...	13,128	9·5	represented by the			2	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.
Urban Districts. DROGHEDA ...	12,501	8·4	numbers of births			8	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Urban Districts. WEXFORD ...	11,531	22·8	and deaths regis-			4	4	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.
Urban Districts. SLIGO	11,163	3·8	tered for these			4	4	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	53	31	50	36	43	1·04
Urban Districts. KILKENNY ...	10,514	11·4	urban districts will			2	5	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	2	.	.	.	.	1	.	52	29	50·2	35·4	42·8	0·59
Urban Districts. TRALEE ...	10,300	17·4	be shown in the			2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Urban Districts. CLONMEL	10,209	4·8	Quarterly Summary of the Weekly Returns.			2	3	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
BELFAST CITY	425,000	24·3	32·5	16·4	1·1	265	134	19	37	.	.	.	2	.	1	2	.	1	8	4	9	8	16	2	2	17	12	34	5	53·0	35·5	50·3	39·3	44·8	1·74
LONDONDERRY CITY ...	46,000	36·3	27·2	29·5	2·3	24	26	4	4	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	2	.	2	2	4	1	.	2	2	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
LONDON	4,476,238	—	—	15·3	—	2,171	1,327	159	448	.	.	.	98	5	39	24	—	—	83	34	104	166	138	15	2	36	93	651	4	60	33	55·6	37·7	46·7	0·56
EDINBURGH	420,486	—	—	15·3	1·2	186	123	19	40	1	.	.	7	.	.	2	—	.	—	—	—	28		.	—	6	—	—	—	52·0	33.0	49·7	36·4	43·1	0·21
GLASGOW	1,037,845	—	—	17·9	3·6	672	356g	61	80	.	.	.	56	3	3	5	—	1	—	—	—	62		5	—	10	—	—	—	51·0	35·0	49.2	36·9	43·0	0.30

(a) According to the Census of 1911, but in the cases of the Dublin Registration Area and its component parts, the population given is that estimated to the middle of 1922. The estimate shown for London relates to the civil population in 1921. The population for Glasgow and Edinburgh is that provisionally estimated to the middle of 1922. (b) See note (†) at foot of first page. (c) The observations shown for Cork were taken at Roche's Point, and those for Sligo at Markree. (d) Observations at Ordnance Survey Office, Phœnix Park. (e) Observations by Sir John Moore, taken at Fitzwilliam Square (f) Observations by Sir Frederick W. Moore, taken at the Botanic Gardens, Glasnevin. (g) Including 2 deaths from cerebro-spinal meningitis.

TABLE II.—Showing for the WEEK ENDED 29TH APRIL, 1922, the number of DEATHS of Residents of the several REGISTRARS' DISTRICTS in the DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA, and in the CITY OF CORK, the annual Rate per 1,000 of the Population of the respective Districts represented thereby, and by the Deaths from the principal Epidemic Diseases†; with the mortality from some of the principal causes; also the Deaths at certain age-periods, and the number of Uncertified Deaths, *the Deaths in Public Institutions being assigned to the Districts from which the deceased were admitted.*

WEEK ENDED SATURDAY 29TH APRIL, 1922.

REGISTRARS' DISTRICTS, &c.	Estimated Population middle of 1922.*	Annual Rate of Mortality per 1,000 Living represented by Deaths. From all causes	From certain Epidemic Diseases†	Total Deaths.	Under 1 year.	1 and under 2.	2 and under 5.	5 and under 15.	15 and under 25.	25 and under 45.	45 and under 65.	65 and upwards.	Enteric Fever.	Typhus.	Small-pox.	Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Whooping-cough.	Diphtheria.	Dysentery.	Influenza.	Tuberculosis. Pulmonary.	Tuberculosis. Other Forms.	Cancer.	Diseases of Respiratory System. Pneumonia.	Diseases of Respiratory System. Other.	Diarrhœa and Enteritis of Children under 2 years.	Diarrhœa, 2 years and upwards.	Violence.	Other Causes.	Inquest Cases.	In Institutions. In Hospitals, Prisons and Lunatic Asylums.	In Institutions. In Workhouse Hospitals.	Number of Uncertified Deaths.
					DEATHS.								CAUSED BY																						
Cols.	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)	(14)	(15)	(16)	(17)	(18)	(19)	(20)	(21)	(22)	(23)	(24)	(25)	(26)	(27)	(28)	(29)	(30)	(31)	(32)	(33)	34)
DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA.																																			
Dublin City Districts. North City, No. 1, E.	31,600	24·8	1·7	15	1	.	1	2	1	1	4	5	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	3	2	1	.	.	4	.	.	.	4	.	.	4	1
" 1, W.	43,300	27·7	4·8	23	6	4	.	1	2	2	5	3	.	.	.	3	.	.	1	.	.	2	1	.	6	3	.	.	.	7	.	6	4	.
" 2	29,000	12·6	.	7	1	.	.	.	.	1	2	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	.	.	5	.	.	1	.
" 3	35,900	20·3	.	14	3	1	1	.	.	2	2	5	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	3	.	.	.	.	11	.	3	2	2
Clontarf and Howth, No. 1, part of	5,800	9·0	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.
Coolock and Drumcondra, part of	14,300	18·2	.	5	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	4	.	2	.	.
Finglas and Glasnevin, part of	11,700	4·5	.	1	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	1	.	.
South City, No. 1	45,300	21·9	4·6	19	1	2	2	1	.	3	3	7	.	.	.	3	.	1	.	.	.	1	1	.	2	3	.	.	1	7	1	3	1	.
" 2	19,100	16·4	2·7	6	1	1	.	.	.	1	1	2	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	2	.	.	1	1	1	2	.	.
" 3	45,600	18·3	2·3	16	3	.	3	.	2	1	5	2	.	.	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	2	1	.	2	4	.	.	.	5	.	5	2	1
" 4	34,500	21·2	3·0	14	8	1	.	.	.	1	2	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	1	1	1	2	.	.	7	.	2	1	1
New Kilmainham	10,900	9·6	.	2	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.
Urban Districts. Rathmines and Rathgar	41,500	7·5	.	6	3	.	.	.	.	2	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	5	.	2	1	.
Pembroke	31,100	26·8	1·7	16	3	.	1	.	.	5	3	4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	1	2	1	.	.	10	.	4	2	.
Blackrock	9,900	5·3	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.
Dún Laoghaire	17,500	6·0	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	.	.
Total City of Dublin	327,000	19·6	2·2	123	24	9	7	4	8	14	24	33	.	.	.	10	.	1	1	.	3	9	5	1	16	20	2	.	3	52	3	25	16	5
Total Urban Districts	100,000	13·0	0·5	25	6	.	1	.	.	7	3	8	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	2	2	1	.	.	18	.	6	3	.
Total Dublin Registration Area	427,000	18·1	1·8	148	30	9	8	4	8	21	27	41	.	.	.	10	.	1	1	.	3	10	5	2	18	22	3	.	3	70	3	31	19	5
Deaths relating to residents of localities situated outside the Registration Area (not included in above)				15	.	1	1	2	4	4	1	2	.	.	.	3	1	.	.	.		1	1	1	.	.	.	.	1	7	1	14	1	.
CITY OF CORK.																																			
Cork City Districts. Cork Urban, No. 1	13,455	42·6	.	11	1	.		1		1	3	5	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	2	1	1	.	.	.	5	.	6		.
" 2	10,399	35·1	15·0	7	.	4		1		.	.	2	.	.	.	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	3	.	1		.
" 3	9,793	31·9	5.3	6	2	1		.		.	1	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	1	.	.	3	.	3		.
" 4	9,139	34·2	11.4	6	.	3		.		.	2	1	.	.	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	3	.	1		.
" 5	6,250	16·7	.	2	.	1		.		.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	1		.
" 6	11,581	4·5	.	1	.	.		1		.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1		.
" 7	16,056	16·2	3.2	5	.	.		1		2	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	2		1
Total City of Cork	76,673	25·8	4·8	38	3	9		4		3	8	11	.	.	.	5	.	.	1	.	.	7	.	2	4	2	1	.	.	16	.	15		1

* The populations given for the City of Cork and its component parts are those according to the Census of 1911.

† See note (†) at foot of first page.

TABLE III.—Showing the NUMBER of CASES of INFECTIOUS DISEASES notified in the Dublin Registration Area (viz. :—the City of Dublin, and the Urban Districts of Rathmines and Rathgar, Pembroke, Blackrock and Dún Laoghaire), and in the Cities of Cork, Limerick, and Waterford, during the week ended 29th April, 1922, and each of the preceding three weeks, as furnished by the respective Sanitary Authorities. A dash (—) denotes that the disease in question is not notifiable in the District.

Cities and Urban Districts.	Week ending	Enteric Fever.	Typhus.	Pyrexia—Continued Fever.	Relapsing Fever.	Small-pox.	Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Whooping-cough.	Diphtheria (including Membranous Croup).	Erysipelas.	Puerperal Fever.	Diarrhœal Diseases.	Dysentery.	Malaria.	Trench Fever.	Acute Primary Pneumonia and Acute Influenzal Pneumonia.	Cerebro-spinal Fever.	Acute Poliomyelitis.	Encephalitis Lethargica	Tuberculosis.	Total.
City of Dublin	Apr. 8	.	.	.	.	.	—	12	—	7	1	1	—	.	.	.	7	.	.	—	11	39
	Apr. 15	1	.	.	.	.	—	5	—	5	4	.	—	.	.	.	4	.	.	—	16	35
	Apr. 22	1	.	.	.	.	—	4	—	6	3	.	—	1	.	.	10	.	.	—	7	32
	Apr. 29	1	.	.	.	.	—	9	—	5	2	1	—	.	.	.	2	.	.	—	8	28
Rathmines & Rathgar Urban District	Apr. 8	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	1	1	.	—	.	.	.	1	.	.	—	—	3
	Apr. 15	1	.	.	.	.	—	1	—	4	1	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	7
	Apr. 22	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	1	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	1
	Apr. 29	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	1	.	.	—	—	1
Pembroke Urban District	Apr. 8	.	.	.	.	.	5	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	5
	Apr. 15	.	.	.	.	.	6	1	.	1	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	8
	Apr. 22	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.
	Apr. 29	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.
Blackrock Urban District	Apr 8	.	.	.	.	.	3	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	3
	Apr. 15	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.
	Apr. 22	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.
	Apr. 29	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.
Dún Laoghaire Urban District	Apr 8	.	.	.	.	.	—	3	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	3
	Apr. 15	.	.	.	.	.	—	1	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	1
	Apr. 22	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.
	Apr. 29	.	.	.	.	.	—	1	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	1
City of Cork	Apr. 8	.	.	.	.	.	16	.	—	5	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	—	21a
	Apr. 15	.	.	.	.	.	23	1	—	11	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	—	36
	Apr. 22	.	.	.	.	.	26	.	—	7	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	—	33
	Apr. 29	.	.	.	.	.	50	1	—	6	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	—	57
City of Limerick	Apr. 8	.	.	.	.	.	—	1	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	1
	Apr. 15	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	1	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	1
	Apr. 22	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	1	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	1
	Apr. 29	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	.
City of Waterford	Apr. 8	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	.	.
	Apr. 15	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	.	.
	Apr. 22	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	.	.
	Apr. 29	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	.	.

(*a*) Not including one case of Varicella.

TABLE IV.—Showing the NUMBER of CASES of the undermentioned DISEASES treated in Dublin Hospitals during the week ended Saturday, 29th April, 1922, with the number under treatment at the close of each of the last four weeks.

Diseases	No. of Cases in Hospital at close of week ended			Week ended 29th April,			
	Apr. 8	Apr. 15	Apr. 22	No. admitted.	Dis-charged.	Died.	No. under treatment at close of week.
Enteric Fever, ...	9	8	8	1	2	.	7
Typhus, ...	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Small-pox, ...	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Measles, ...	76	73	59	19	27	4	47
Scarlet Fever,..	40	46	42	16	9	.	49*
Diphtheria, ...	39	33	34	11	6	2	37
Pneumonia, ...	32	36	45	8	13	1	39

* Exclusive of 19 patients in "Beneavin," the Convalescent Home of Cork Street Fever Hospital.

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IN THE

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TWELVE TOWN DISTRICTS.

The Births and Deaths * registered in the Dublin Registration Area and in eleven provincial Urban Districts of the Irish Free State, with the annual rates per 1,000 of the population represented thereby, which, for the purposes of these Returns, is estimated at 662,256, are given in Table I. The deaths from all causes appertaining to the undermentioned areas for last week and for the past four weeks, respectively, were equal to the following annual rates per 1,000 of the population:—

Twelve Town Districts, 19·9 and 21·8; Dublin Registration Area, 20·6 and 22·8; Dublin City, 22·0 and 23·7; Cork, 18·4 and 22·9; Limerick, 6·8 and 20·0, and Waterford, 15·2 and 10·0.

The deaths* from certain epidemic diseases † registered in the 12 town districts during last week were equal to an annual rate of 1·8 per 1,000. Among the 27 deaths from all causes for Cork are 6 from measles; one of the 6 deaths from all causes for Dundalk is from whooping-cough, and the 10 deaths from all causes for Kilkenny include one from scarlet fever and one from whooping-cough.

DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA.

In the Dublin Registration Area the total number of births registered during the week amounted to 291—154 boys and 137 girls—and the deaths to 180—88 males and 92 females.

The deaths registered, omitting the deaths (numbering 11) of persons admitted into public institutions from localities outside the Area, represent an annual rate of mortality of 20·6 per 1,000 of the population. During the eighteen weeks ending with Saturday last, the death-rate averaged 23·3 and was 0·7 below the mean rate for the corresponding portions of the ten years 1912-21. The rate for all deaths registered during the eighteen weeks was 25·0 and for the corresponding period of the preceding ten years 25·7.

Included in the 169 deaths appertaining to the Area are 6 from measles, 2 from whooping-cough, one from diphtheria, 4 from diarrhœal diseases, and 2 from influenza. In the 3 preceding weeks deaths from measles were 11, 8, and 10; deaths from whooping-cough, 2, 0, and one; deaths from diphtheria 2, one and one; deaths from diarrhœal diseases, 4, 2, and 3, and deaths from influenza 3, 2, and 3.

There were 17 deaths from pneumonia, comprising 8 from broncho-pneumonia, 3 from lobar-pneumonia, and 6 from pneumonia (not otherwise defined).

Tuberculous disease caused 27 deaths (including 19 from pulmonary tuberculosis, 3 from tuberculous meningitis, and 5 from other forms of tuberculous disease), as against 24, 21, and 15 from all forms of tuberculous disease in the 3 weeks preceding.

Seven deaths were caused by cancer, 17 by organic diseases of the heart, and 15 by bronchitis.

Six accidental deaths were recorded, of which one was attributed to scalds.

Among deaths of infants under one year old, one was due to abdominal tuberculosis, one to venereal disease, 4 to convulsions, 2 to bronchitis, 4 to broncho-pneumonia, 2 to pneumonia, 3 to diarrhœa and enteritis, one to congenital malformation, 5 to premature birth, and 6 to congenital debility.

Fifty-seven of the deaths registered during the week, appertaining to the Area, were those of children under 5 years of age, 33 being infants under one year, of whom 12 were under one month old, and 38 deaths were those of persons aged 65 and upwards, of whom 28 were 70 years of age or over.

Of the 169 deaths recorded, 53 occurred in hospitals and other public institutions.

ENGLAND AND SCOTLAND.

The mortality among civilians for the week ended 6th May, in 105 large English towns (including London in which the rate was 15·2) was equal to an average annual death rate of 14·2 per 1,000 of the estimated civil population.

The average death-rate for 16 principal towns of Scotland was 17·2 per 1,000 persons living, the rate for Glasgow being 18·1 and for Edinburgh 12·2.

* Exclusive of the deaths of persons admitted into public institutions from without the respective districts.
† Enteric fever, typhus, small-pox, measles, scarlet fever, whooping-cough, diphtheria, dysentery, and diarrhœal diseases.

TABLE I.—BIRTHS and DEATHS registered during the week ending Saturday, 6th May, 1922, in the DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA, in each of the under-mentioned 11 CITIES OR URBAN DISTRICTS, and in BELFAST and LONDONDERRY CITIES (*exclusive of Births and Deaths in Public Institutions relating to Persons admitted from other Districts*), the Number of Deaths from some of the PRINCIPAL CAUSES, and the Number of Uncertified Deaths with the Temperature and Rainfall for the week; also statistics regarding Births, Deaths and Meteorology in London, Edinburgh, and Glasgow.

TOWNS AND DISTRICTS.	POPULATION. Total (a)	Persons to an Acre.	Annual Rate per 1,000 Persons Represented by BIRTHS.	DEATHS. From all Causes.	DEATHS. From certain Epidemic Diseases. (b)	BIRTHS Total Number.	DEATHS Total Number.	Under 1 year of Age.	At 65 years and upwards.	Enteric Fever.	Typhus.	Small-pox.	Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Whooping-cough.	Diphtheria.	Dysentery.	Influenza.	Tuberculosis. Pulmonary.	Tuberculosis. Other Forms.	Cancer.	Diseases of the Respiratory System. Pneumonia.	Diseases of the Respiratory System. Other.	Diarrhœa and Enteritis of children under 2 years of age.	Diarrhœa, 2 years of age and upwards.	Violence.	Inquest Cases.	No. of Deaths in Public Institutions.	Number of Uncertified Deaths.	METEOROLOGY. (c) Week ending 6th May, 1922. Air Temperature. Absolute Highest.	Absolute Lowest.	Mean Maximum (A).	Mean Minimum (B).	Mean of (A) and (B).	Rainfall in Inches.
COLS.	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)	(14)	(15)	(16)	(17)	(18)	(19)	(20)	(21)	(22)	(23)	(24)	(25)	(26)	(27)	(28)	(29)	(30)	(31)	(32)	(33)	(34)	(35)
TOTAL OF 12 TOWN DISTRICTS ...	662,256	18·9	29·9	19·9	1·8	380	253	42	64	.	.	.	12	1	4	1	.	3	31	9	9	24	28	4	1	8	7	76	14	° .	° .	° .	° .	° .	° .
DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA	427,000	30·5	32·4	20·6	1·6	265	169	33	38	.	.	.	6	.	2	1	.	2	19	8	7	17	16	3	1	6	5	53	8	(d) 58·0	28·2	55·0	37·0	46·0	0·26
Urban Districts. CITY OF DUBLIN	327,000	40·0	34·3	22·0	1·6	215	138	29	26	.	.	.	5	.	2	1	.	2	18	6	6	15	12	1	1	6	5	46	7	(e) 59·0	35·8	55·2	41·8	48·5	0·19
Urban Districts. RATHMINES and RATHGAR ...	41,500	24·2	31·4	17·6	3·8	25	14	2	7	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	2	2	.	.	.	1	.	(f) 58·6	31·0	55·6	40·2	47·9	0·18
Urban Districts. PEMBROKE ...	31,100	19·8	21·8	20·1	.	13	12	1	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	2	.	1	2	.	.	.	.	6	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Urban Districts. BLACKROCK ...	9,900	9·1	21·1	15·8	.	4	3	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Urban Districts. DÚN LAOGHAIRE	17,500	12·0	23·8	6·0	.	8	2	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	59	37	52·2	41·5	46·8	0·18
Urban Districts. CORK	76,673	28·6	27·2	18·4	4·1	40	27	4	2	.	.	.	6	.	.	.	.	.	3	1	.	4	.	.	.	.	.	8	1	58	39	53·3	43·3	48·3	0·87
Urban Districts. LIMERICK ...	38,518	16·1	23·0	6·8	.	17	5	.	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	3	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.
Urban Districts. WATERFORD ...	27,464	19·1	36·1	15·2	1·9	19	8	2	4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.
Urban Districts. GALWAY	13,255	2·5	The annual rates represented by the numbers of births and deaths registered for these urban districts will be shown in the Quarterly Summary of the Weekly Returns.			7	5	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	2	.	56	42	54·8	44·0	49·4	0·99
Urban Districts. DUNDALK ...	13,128	9·5				3	6	2	1	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	2	.	.	1	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Urban Districts. DROGHEDA ...	12,501	8·4				6	4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Urban Districts. WEXFORD ...	11,531	22·8				7	8	.	7	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	.	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	62	30	55	39	47	0·42
Urban Districts. SLIGO	11,163	3·8				6	4	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Urban Districts. KILKENNY ...	10,514	11·4				3	10	1	4	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	1	2	.	.	.	.	.	5	3	.	.	.	.	.	.
Urban Districts. TRALEE ...	10,300	17·4				3	4	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	2	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Urban Districts. CLONMEL	10,209	4·8				4	3	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
BELFAST CITY	425,000	24·3	29·0	15·8	0·2	236	129g	13	29	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	12	4	5	10	12	.	2	19	17	51	1	56·8	31·5	54·3	38·0	46·2	0·52
LONDONDERRY CITY ...	46,000	36·3	27·2	17·0	1·1	24	15	2	4	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	2	1	1	2	2	.	.	.	.	4	1	.	.	.	.	.	.
LONDON	4,476,238	—	—	15·2	—	2,019	1,319	170	451	.	.	.	107	6	30	19	—	—	96	23	129	164	118	9	4	41	106	636	1	66	38	58·3	40·1	49·2	0·52
EDINBURGH	420,486	—	—	12·2	0·7	188	98	11	41	.	.	.	2	.	1	3	—	2	—	—	—	16		.	—	2	—	—	—	56·0	36·0	51·3	38·6	44·9	0·59
GLASGOW	1,037,845	—	—	18·1	3·9	592	361	64	74	1	.	.	59	3	4	3	—	1	—	—	—	62		8	—	9	—	—	—	54·5	35·4	52·2	39·5	45·8	0·98

(a) According to the Census of 1911, but in the cases of the Dublin Registration Area and its component parts, the population given is that estimated to the middle of 1922. The estimate shown for London relates to the civil population in 1921. The population for Glasgow and Edinburgh is that provisionally estimated to the middle of 1922. (b) See note (†) at foot of first page. (c) The observations shown for Cork were taken at Roche's Point, and those for Sligo at Markree. (d) Observations at Ordnance Survey Office, Phœnix Park. (e) Observations by Sir John Moore, taken at Fitzwilliam Square. (f) Observations by Sir Frederick W. Moore, taken at the Botanic Gardens, Glasnevin. (g) Including one death from cerebro-spinal meningitis.

TABLE II.—Showing for the WEEK ENDED 6TH MAY, 1922, the number of DEATHS of Residents of the several REGISTRARS' DISTRICTS in the DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA, and in the CITY OF CORK, the annual Rate per 1,000 of the Population of the respective Districts represented thereby, and by the Deaths from the principal Epidemic Diseases†; with the mortality from some of the principal causes; also the Deaths at certain age-periods, and the number of Uncertified Deaths, *the Deaths in Public Institutions being assigned to the Districts from which the deceased were admitted.*

WEEK ENDED SATURDAY 6TH MAY, 1922.

REGISTRARS' DISTRICTS, &c.	Estimated Population middle of 1922.*	Annual Rate of Mortality per 1,000 Living represented by Deaths. From all causes	From certain Epidemic Diseases†	Total Deaths.	DEATHS. Under 1 year.	1 and under 2.	2 and under 5.	5 and under 15.	15 and under 25.	25 and under 45.	45 and under 65.	65 and upwards.	Caused by: Enteric Fever.	Typhus.	Small-pox.	Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Whooping-cough.	Diphtheria.	Dysentery.	Influenza.	Tuberculosis: Pulmonary.	Tuberculosis: Other Forms.	Cancer.	Diseases of Respiratory System: Pneumonia.	Diseases of Respiratory System: Other.	Diarrhœa and Enteritis of Children under 2 years.	Diarrhœa, 2 years and upwards.	Violence.	Other Causes.	Inquest Cases.	In Institutions: In Hospitals, Prisons and Lunatic Asylums.	In Institutions: In Workhouse Hospitals.	Number of Uncertified Deaths.
Cols.	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)	(14)	(15)	(16)	(17)	(18)	(19)	(20)	(21)	(22)	(23)	(24)	(25)	(26)	(27)	(28)	(29)	(30)	(31)	(32)	(33)	(34)
DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA.																																		
Dublin City Districts. North City, No. 1, E.	31,600	31·4	1·7	19	3	1	1	1	.	5	4	4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	2	2	.	4	1	.	2	6	2	8	2	.
" 1, W.	43,300	20·5	1·2	17	4	.	2	1	.	1	7	2	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	2	1	.	2	1	.	.	.	10	.	5	2	.
" 2	29,000	28·8	.	16	2	3	1	.	3	2	3	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	3	1	.	.	2	8	1	5	2	1
" 3	35,900	13·1	.	9	4	.	.	2	.	1	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	7	.	2	1	2
Clontarf and Howth, No. 1, part of	5,800	9·0	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Coolock and Drumcondra, part of	14,300	29·2	3·6	8	2	.	1	.	1	.	3	1	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	.	.	5	.	1	.	.
Finglas and Glasnevin, part of	11,700	8·9	.	2	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.
South City, No. 1	45,300	17·3	4·6	15	2	3	1	1	.	3	3	2	.	.	.	3	.	.	1	.	.	1	.	.	.	3	.	.	1	6	1	3	.	1
" 2	19,100	21·8	.	8	1	2	.	.	1	2	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	1	.	2	.	.	.	.	3	1	3	1	.
" 3	45,600	22·9	2·3	20	6	3	2	.	2	4	.	3	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	5	.	.	3	.	.	.	.	10	.	3	2	3
" 4	34,500	28·7	1·5	19	.	1	1	.	3	.	5	9	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	5	.	3	.	2	.	1	1	6	.	4	2	.
New Kilmainham	10,900	19·1	.	4	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	2	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.
Urban Districts. Rathmines and Rathgar	41,500	17·6	3·8	14	2	1	1	.	.	.	3	7	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	2	2	.	.	8	.	.	1	.
Pembroke	31,100	20·1	.	12	1	.	.	.	1	4	4	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	2	.	1	2	.	.	.	6	.	6	.	.
Blackrock	9,900	15·8	.	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	.	.
Dún Laoghaire	17,500	6·0	.	2	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	.	1
Total City of Dublin	327,000	22·0	1·6	138	29	13	9	5	10	18	28	26	.	.	.	5	.	2	1	.	2	18	6	6	15	12	1	1	6	63	5	34	12	7
Total Urban Districts	100,000	16·2	1·6	31	4	1	1	.	1	4	8	12	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	1	2	1	2	4	2	.	.	18	.	6	1	1
Total Dublin Registration Area	427,000	20·6	1·6	169	33	14	10	5	11	22	36	38	.	.	.	6	.	2	1	.	2	19	8	7	17	16	3	1	6	81	5	40	13	8
Deaths relating to residents of localities situated outside the Registration Area (not included in above)				11	2	2	.	.	2	2	1	2	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	1	.	.	.	2	5	2	11	.	.
CITY OF CORK.																																		
Cork City Districts. Cork Urban, No. 1	13,455	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
" 2	10,399	15·0	.	3	1	2		.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	.	.	1	.	2	.	.
" 3	9,793	47·9	21·3	9	2	6		.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	4	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	2	.	1	.	.
" 4	9,139	17·1	11.4	3	.	2		.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	.
" 5	6,250	33·4	.	4	.	1		.	2	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	3	.	2	.	.
" 6	11,581	9·0	.	2	.	1		.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	.	.
" 7	16,056	19·5	.	6	1	1		.	1	2	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	5	.	1	1	.
Total City of Cork	76,673	18·4	4·1	27	4	13		.	4	4	2	.	.	.	.	6	.	.	.	.	.	3	1	.	4	.	.	.	.	13	.	8	1	.

* The populations given for the City of Cork and its component parts are those according to the Census of 1911.

† See note (†) at foot of first page.

TABLE III.—Showing the NUMBER of CASES of INFECTIOUS DISEASES notified in the Dublin Registration Area (viz. :—the City of Dublin, and the Urban Districts of Rathmines and Rathgar, Pembroke, Blackrock and Dún Laoghaire), and in the Cities of Cork, Limerick, and Waterford, during the week ended 6th May, 1922, and each of the preceding three weeks, as furnished by the respective Sanitary Authorities. A dash (—) denotes that the disease in question is not notifiable in the District.

Cities and Urban Districts.	Week ending	Enteric Fever.	Typhus.	Pyrexia—Continued Fever.	Relapsing Fever.	Small-pox.	Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Whooping-cough.	Diphtheria (including Membranous Croup).	Erysipelas.	Puerperal Fever.	Diarrhœal Diseases.	Dysentery.	Malaria.	Trench Fever.	Acute Primary Pneumonia and Acute Influenzal Pneumonia.	Cerebro-spinal Fever.	Acute Poliomyelitis.	Encephalitis Lethargica	Tuberculosis.	Total.
City of Dublin	Apr. 15	1	.	.	.	.	—	5	—	5	4	.	—	.	.	.	4	.	.	—	16	35
	Apr. 22	1	.	.	.	.	—	4	—	6	3	.	—	1	.	.	10	.	.	—	7	32
	Apr. 29	1	.	.	.	.	—	9	—	5	2	1	—	.	.	.	2	.	.	—	8	28
	May 6	.	.	.	.	.	—	11	—	8	2	.	—	2	.	.	4	.	.	—	5	32
Rathmines & Rathgar Urban District	Apr. 15	1	.	.	.	.	—	1	—	4	1	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	7
	Apr. 22	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	1	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	1
	Apr. 29	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	1	.	.	—	—	1
	May 6	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	1	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	1
Pembroke Urban District	Apr. 15	.	.	.	.	.	6	1	.	1	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	8
	Apr. 22	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.
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City of Limerick	Apr. 15	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	1	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	1
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City of Waterford	Apr. 15	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	.	.
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(*a*) Not including 2 cases of Varicella.

TABLE IV.—Showing the NUMBER of CASES of the undermentioned DISEASES treated in Dublin Hospitals during the week ended Saturday, 6th May, 1922, with the number under treatment at the close of each of the last four weeks.

Diseases	No. of Cases in Hospital at close of week ended			Week ended 6th May.			
	Apr. 15	Apr. 22	Apr. 29	No. admitted.	Discharged.	Died.	No. under treatment at close of week.
Enteric Fever, ...	8	8	7	1	1	.	7
Typhus, ...	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Small-pox, ...	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Measles, ...	73	59	47	21	10	2	56
Scarlet Fever,..	46	42	49	14	9	.	54*
Diphtheria, ...	33	34	37	11	10	.	38
Pneumonia, ...	36	45	39	3	6	.	36

* Exclusive of 17 patients in "Beneavin," the Convalescent Home of Cork Street Fever Hospital.

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TWELVE TOWN DISTRICTS.

The Births and Deaths * registered in the Dublin Registration Area and in eleven provincial Urban Districts of the Irish Free State, with the annual rates per 1,000 of the population represented thereby, which, for the purposes of these Returns, is estimated at 662,256, are given in Table I. The deaths from all causes appertaining to the undermentioned areas for last week and for the past four weeks, respectively, were equal to the following annual rates per 1,000 of the population:—

Twelve Town Districts, 19·5 and 20·4; Dublin Registration Area, 19·2 and 20·6; Dublin City, 19·6 and 21·5; Cork, 25·2 and 23·1; Limerick, 21·7 and 22·0, and Waterford, 13·3 and 11·4.

The deaths* from certain epidemic diseases † registered in the 12 town districts during last week were equal to an annual rate of 2·4 per 1,000. Among the 37 deaths from all causes for Cork are 5 from measles, and 2 from diphtheria, and the 5 deaths from all causes for Dundalk include one from whooping-cough.

DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA.

In the Dublin Registration Area the total number of births registered during the week amounted to 220—105 boys and 115 girls—and the deaths to 173—74 males and 99 females.

The deaths registered, omitting the deaths (numbering 16) of persons admitted into public institutions from localities outside the Area, represent an annual rate of mortality of 19·2 per 1,000 of the population. During the nineteen weeks ending with Saturday last, the death-rate averaged 23·1 and was 0·9 below the mean rate for the corresponding portions of the ten years 1912-21. The rate for all deaths registered during the nineteen weeks was 24·8 and for the corresponding period of the preceding ten years 25·6.

Included in the 157 deaths appertaining to the Area are 13 from measles, one from scarlet fever, one from whooping-cough, 7 from diarrhœa and enteritis of children under 2 years, and 2 from influenza. In the 3 preceding weeks deaths from measles were 8, 10, and 6; deaths from scarlet fever, one, 0, and 0; deaths from whooping-cough, 0, one, and 2; deaths from diarrhœa and enteritis of children under 2 years 2, 3, and 3; and deaths from influenza 2, 3, and 2.

There were 12 deaths from pneumonia, comprising 9 from broncho-pneumonia, and 3 from pneumonia (not otherwise defined).

Tuberculous disease caused 20 deaths (including 16 from pulmonary tuberculosis, 2 from tuberculous meningitis, and 2 from other forms of tuberculous disease), as against 21, 15, and 27 from all forms of tuberculous disease in the 3 weeks preceding.

Four deaths were caused by cancer, 20 by organic diseases of the heart, and 27 by bronchitis.

Three accidental deaths were registered, of which one was caused by burns, and one by gunshot wounds.

Among deaths of infants under one year old, 4 were due to measles, one to whooping-cough, one to pulmonary tuberculosis, 3 to bronchitis, 7 to broncho-pneumonia, 7 to diarrhœa and enteritis, 4 to premature birth, and 3 to congenital debility.

Fifty-three of the deaths registered during the week, appertaining to the Area, were those of children under 5 years of age, 33 being infants under one year, of whom 8 were under one month old, and 34 deaths were those of persons aged 65 and upwards, of whom 29 were 70 years of age or over.

Of the 157 deaths recorded, 63 occurred in hospitals and other public institutions.

ENGLAND AND SCOTLAND.

The mortality among civilians for the week ended 13th May, in 105 large English towns (including London in which the rate was 14·0) was equal to an average annual death rate of 13·2 per 1,000 of the estimated civil population.

The average death-rate for 16 principal towns of Scotland was 16·3 per 1,000 persons living, the rate for Glasgow being 17·1 and for Edinburgh 12·0.

* Exclusive of the deaths of persons admitted into public institutions from without the respective districts.
† Enteric fever, typhus, small-pox, measles, scarlet fever, whooping-cough, diphtheria, dysentery, and diarrhœal diseases.

Table I.—BIRTHS and DEATHS registered during the week ending Saturday, 13th May, 1922, in the Dublin Registration Area, in each of the under-mentioned 11 Cities or Urban Districts, and in Belfast and Londonderry Cities (*exclusive of Births and Deaths in Public Institutions relating to Persons admitted from other Districts*), **the Number of Deaths from some of the Principal Causes, and the Number of Uncertified Deaths with the Temperature and Rainfall for the week; also particulars regarding Births, Deaths and Meteorology in London, Edinburgh, and Glasgow.**

Towns and Districts.	Population. Total (a)	Population. Persons to an Acre.	Annual Rate per 1,000 Persons Represented by Births	Annual Rate per 1,000 Persons Represented by Deaths. From all Causes.	Annual Rate per 1,000 Persons Represented by Deaths. From certain Epidemic Diseases. (b)	Registration—Week ending Saturday, 13th May, 1922. Numbers Registered. Births. Total Number	Deaths. Total Number.	Deaths. Under 1 year of Age.	Deaths. At 65 years and upwards.	Deaths Caused by: Enteric Fever.	Typhus.	Small-pox.	Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Whooping-cough.	Diphtheria.	Dysentery.	Influenza.	Tuberculosis. Pulmonary.	Tuberculosis. Other Forms.	Cancer.	Diseases of the Respiratory System. Pneumonia.	Diseases of the Respiratory System. Other.	Diarrhœa and Enteritis of children under 2 years of age.	Diarrhœa, 2 years of age and upwards.	Violence.	Inquest Cases.	No. of Deaths in Public Institutions.	Number of Uncertified Deaths.	Meteorology. (c) Week ending 13th May, 1922. Air Temperature. Absolute Highest.	Absolute Lowest.	Mean Maximum (A).	Mean Minimum (B).	Mean of (A) and (B).	Rainfall in Inches.
Cols.	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)	(14)	(15)	(16)	(17)	(18)	(19)	(20)	(21)	(22)	(23)	(24)	(25)	(26)	(27)	(28)	(29)	(30)	(31)	(32)	(33)	(34)	(35)
Total of 12 Town Districts ...	662,256	18·9	28·6	19·5	2·4	363	248	41	56	.	.	.	18	1	2	2	.	3	27	5	7	19	39	7	.	5	4	107	8	.	.	.	.	.	.
Dublin Registration Area	427,000	30·5	25·3	19·2	2·7	207	157	33	34	.	.	.	13	1	1	.	.	2	16	4	4	12	29	7	.	3	3	63	3	(d)70·9	29·6	59·1	41·4	50·2	0·00
Urban Districts. City of Dublin	327,000	40·0	26·3	19·6	3·5	165	123	32	20	.	.	.	13	1	1	.	.	1	14	4	3	11	21	7	.	1	1	51	2	(e)70·8 / (f)72·0	37·0 / 33·0	59·4 / 59·2	46·6 / 43·4	53·0 / 51·3	0·02 / 0·01
Urban Districts. Rathmines and Rathgar ...	41,500	24·2	13·8	16·3	.	11	13	.	5	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	2	.	.	.	.	6	.						
Urban Districts. Pembroke ...	31,100	19·8	31·9	18·4	.	19	11	1	4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	.	1	3	.	.	1	1	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Urban Districts. Blackrock ...	9,900	9·1	31·6	15·8	.	6	3	.	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Urban Districts. Dún Laoghaire	17,500	12·0	17·9	20·9	.	6	7	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	3	.	.	1	1	1	1	69	38	60·1	45·2	52·6	0·00
Urban Districts. Cork	76,673	28·6	32·0	25·2	4·8	47	37	4	8	.	.	.	5	.	.	2	.	.	4	1	.	2	2	.	.	.	.	17	1	59	40	56·6	45·7	51·2	0·04
Urban Districts. Limerick ...	38,518	16·1	62·3	21·7	.	46	16	.	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	3	.	1	1	1	.	.	.	.	12	2	.	.	.	.	.	.
Urban Districts. Waterford ...	27,464	19·1	34·2	13·3	.	18	7	1	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	5	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Urban Districts. Galway	13,255	2·5	The annual rates			13	5	.	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	1	70	35	60	42	51	0·34
Urban Districts. Dundalk ...	13,128	9·5	represented by the			4	5	2	2	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Urban Districts. Drogheda ...	12,501	8·4	numbers of births			5	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Urban Districts. Wexford ...	11,531	22·8	and deaths regis-			4	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Urban Districts. Sligo	11,163	2·8	tered for these			3	5	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	3	.	66	29	59	41	50	0·00
Urban Districts. Kilkenny ...	10,514	11·4	urban districts will			13	7	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	1	2	.	.	2	1	3	.	74	33	62·2	43·2	52·7	0·00
Urban Districts. Tralee ...	10,300	17·4	be shown in the			2	2	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Urban Districts. Clonmel	10,209	4·8	Quarterly Summary			1	3	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.
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Belfast City	425,000	24·3	25·5	14·0	0·5	208	114	15	31		.	.	1	.	.	.	.	3	11	3	4	6	11	3	.	6	8	20	4	65·0	39·0	61·4	44·7	53·0	0·21
Londonderry City ...	46,000	36·3	36·3	8·0	.	32	7	2	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
London	4,476,238	—	—	14·0	—	1,968	1,210	162	401	2	.	.	91	7	29	28	—	—	83	22	121	141	89	9	3	43	101	615	.	81	35	63·7	42·6	53·2	0·01
Edinburgh	420,486	—	—	12·0	1·0	160	97	8	23	.	.	.	6	.	2	.	—	2	—	—	—	7		.	—	3	—	—	—	61·0	37·0	52·7	41·4	47·2	0·04
Glasgow	1,037,845	—	—	17·1	2·6	557	341	66	90	.	.	.	37	2	5	.	—	2	—	—	—	56		7	—	9	—	—	—	63·0	39·4	55·1	42·7	48·9	0·10

(a) According to the Census of 1911, but in the cases of the Dublin Registration Area and its component parts, the population given is that estimated to the middle of 1922. The estimate shown for London relates to the civil population in 1921. The population for Glasgow and Edinburgh is that provisionally estimated to the middle of 1922. (b) See note (†) at foot of first page. (c) The observations shown for Cork were taken at Roche's Point, and those for Sligo at Markree. (d) Observations at Ordnance Survey Office, Phœnix Park. (e) Observations by Sir John Moore, taken at Fitzwilliam Square. (f) Observations by Sir Frederick W. Moore, taken at the Botanic Gardens, Glasnevin.

TABLE II.—Showing for the WEEK ENDED 13TH MAY, 1922, the number of DEATHS of Residents of the several REGISTRARS' DISTRICTS in the DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA, and in the CITY OF CORK, the annual Rate per 1,000 of the Population of the respective Districts represented thereby, and by the Deaths from the principal Epidemic Diseases†; with the mortality from some of the principal causes; also the Deaths at certain age-periods, and the number of Uncertified Deaths, *the Deaths in Public Institutions being assigned to the Districts from which the deceased were admitted.*

WEEK ENDED SATURDAY 13TH MAY, 1922.

	REGISTRARS' DISTRICTS, &c.	Estimated Population middle of 1922.*	Annual Rate of Mortality per 1,000 Living represented by Deaths. From all causes	From certain Epidemic Diseases†	Total Deaths.	Deaths. Under 1 year.	1 and under 2.	2 and under 5.	5 and under 15.	15 and under 25.	25 and under 45.	45 and under 65.	65 and upwards.	Caused by: Enteric Fever.	Typhus.	Small-pox.	Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Whooping-cough.	Diphtheria.	Dysentery.	Influenza.	Tuberculosis. Pulmonary.	Other Forms.	Cancer.	Diseases of Respiratory System. Pneumonia.	Other.	Diarrhœa and Enteritis of Children under 2 years.	Diarrhœa, 2 years and upwards.	Violence.	Other Causes.	Inquest Cases.	In Institutions. In Hospitals, Prisons and Lunatic Asylums.	In Workhouse Hospitals.	Number of Uncertified Deaths.
	COLS.	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)	(14)	(15)	(16)	(17)	(18)	(19)	(20)	(21)	(22)	(23)	(24)	(25)	(26)	(27)	(28)	(29)	(30)	(31)	(32)	(33)	34)
	DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA.																																		
Dublin City Districts.	North City, No. 1, E.	31,600	26·4	6·6	16	4	1	1	1	1	3	3	2	.	.	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	3	.	1	1	3	2	.	.	4	.	4	.	.
	" 1, W.	43,300	14·5	3·6	12	4	2	.	1	.	.	3	2	.	.	.	3	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	3	3	.	.	.	2	.	1	3	.
	" 2	29,000	27·0	5·4	15	5	3	.	1	.	2	3	1	.	.	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	1	3	.	.	2	1	.	.	6	.	6	2	1
	" 3	35,900	26·1	.	18	5	.	2	2	.	2	4	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	1	1	2	5	.	.	.	7	.	3	4	.
	Clontarf and Howth, No. 1, part of	5,800	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
	Coolock and Drumcondra, part of	14,300	7·3	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.
	Finglas and Glasnevin, part of ..	11,700	4·5	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
	South City, No. 1	45,300	12·7	4·6	11	2	2	1	.	1	.	3	2	.	.	.	3	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	2	1	.	.	3	.	2	2	.
	" 2	19,100	13·6	.	5	1	1	.	.	.	.	2	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	1	2	.	.	.	1	.	1	1	.
	" 3	45,600	32·0	4·6	28	7	2	.	1	1	3	9	5	.	.	.	2	.	1	.	.	.	3	.	.	4	2	1	.	.	15	.	7	6	1
	" 4	34,500	18·1	3·0	12	2	.	1	2	.	2	2	3	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	1	8	1	5	3	.
	New Kilmainham	10,900	14·4	9·6	3	2	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Urban Districts.	Rathmines and Rathgar	41,500	16·3	.	13	.	.	.	.	1	1	6	5	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	2	.	.	.	9	.	6	.	.
	Pembroke	31,100	18·4	.	11	1	1	1	1	.	1	2	4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	.	1	3	.	.	1	4	1	2	1	.
	Blackrock	9,900	15·8	.	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	3	.	1	1	.
	Dún Laoghaire	17,500	20·9	.	7	.	1	1	1	.	1	1	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	3	.	.	1	3	1	1		1
	Total City of Dublin	327,000	19·6	3·5	123	32	11	5	8	3	13	31	20	.	.	.	13	1	1	.	.	1	14	4	3	11	21	7	.	1	46	1	30	21	2
	Total Urban Districts	100,000	17·7	.	34	1	2	2	2	1	3	9	14	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	2	.	1	1	8	.	.	2	19	2	10	2	1
	Total Dublin Registration Area ..	427,000	19·2	2·7	157	33	13	7	10	4	16	40	34	.	.	.	13	1	1	.	.	2	16	4	4	12	29	7	.	3	65	3	40	23	3
	Deaths relating to residents of localities situated outside the Registration Area (not included in above)				16	1	1	.	2	2	3	3	4	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	3	1	2	.	1	.	.	.	8	.	14	2	.
	CITY OF CORK.																																		
Cork City Districts	Cork Urban, No. 1	13,455	23·3	.	6	1		.	1		.	2	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	3	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	2	.	5		1
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	Total City of Cork	76,673	25·2	4·8	37	4		9	2		5	9	8	.	.	.	5	.	.	2	.	.	4	1	.	2	2	.	.	.	21	.	17		1

* The populations given for the City of Cork and its component parts are those according to the Census of 1911. † See note (†) at foot of first page.

TABLE III.—Showing the NUMBER of CASES of INFECTIOUS DISEASES notified in the Dublin Registration Area (viz. :—the City of Dublin, and the Urban Districts of Rathmines and Rathgar, Pembroke, Blackrock and Dún Laoghaire), and in the Cities of Cork, Limerick, and Waterford, during the week ended 13th May, 1922, and each of the preceding three weeks, as furnished by the respective Sanitary Authorities. A dash (—) denotes that the disease in question is not notifiable in the District.

Cities and Urban Districts.	Week ending	Enteric Fever.	Typhus.	Pyrexia—Continued Fever.	Relapsing Fever.	Small-pox.	Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Whooping-cough.	Diphtheria (including Membranous Croup).	Erysipelas.	Puerperal Fever.	Diarrhœal Diseases.	Dysentery.	Malaria.	Trench Fever.	Acute Primary Pneumonia and Acute Influenzal Pneumonia.	Cerebro-spinal Fever.	Acute Poliomyelitis.	Encephalitis Lethargica.	Tuberculosis.	Total.
City of Dublin	Apr. 22	1	.	.	.	.	—	4	—	6	3	.	—	1	.	.	10	.	.	—	7	32
	Apr. 29	1	.	.	.	.	—	9	—	5	2	1	—	.	.	.	2	.	.	—	8	28
	May 6	.	.	.	.	.	—	11	—	8	2	.	—	2	.	.	4	.	.	—	5	32
	May 13	1	.	.	.	.	—	7	—	2	1	.	—	.	.	.	3	.	.	—	19	33
Rathmines & Rathgar Urban District	Apr. 22	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	1	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	1
	Apr. 29	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	1	.	.	—	—	1
	May 6	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	1	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	1
	May 13	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	.
Pembroke Urban District	Apr. 22	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.
	Apr. 29	.	.	.	.	.	5	.	1	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	6
	May 6	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	2	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	3
	May 13	.	.	.	.	.	4	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	4
Blackrock Urban District	Apr. 22	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.
	Apr. 29	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.
	May 6	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	1	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	1
	May 13	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.
Dún Laoghaire Urban District	Apr. 22	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.
	Apr. 29	.	.	.	.	.	—	1	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	1
	May 6	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.
	May 13	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	1	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	1
City of Cork	Apr. 22	.	.	.	.	.	26	.	—	7	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	—	33
	Apr. 29	.	.	.	.	.	50	1	—	6	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	—	57
	May 6	.	.	.	.	.	63	2	—	5	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	—	70*a*
	May 13	1	.	.	.	.	36	1	—	3	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	—	43
City of Limerick	Apr. 22	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	1	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	1
	Apr. 29	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	.
	May 6	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	1	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	1
	May 13	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	1	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	1
City of Waterford	Apr. 22	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	.	.
	Apr. 29	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	.	.
	May 6	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	.	.
	May 13	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	.	.

(*a*) Not including 2 cases of Varicella.

TABLE IV.—Showing the NUMBER of CASES of the undermentioned DISEASES treated in Dublin Hospitals during the week ended Saturday, 13th May, 1922, with the number under treatment at the close of each of the last four weeks.

Diseases	No. of Cases in Hospital at close of week ended			Week ended 13th May.			
	Apr. 22	Apr. 29	May 6	No. admitted.	Dis-charged.	Died.	No. under treatment at close of week.
Enteric Fever, ...	8	7	7	.	.	.	7
Typhus, ...	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Small-pox, ...	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Measles, ...	59	47	56	15	8	3	60
Scarlet Fever, ...	42	49	54	9	12	1	50*
Diphtheria, ...	34	37	38	4	3	1	38
Pneumonia, ...	45	39	36	9	9	1	35

* Exclusive of 20 patients in "Beneavin," the Convalescent Home of Cork Street Fever Hospital.

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TWELVE TOWN DISTRICTS.

The Births and Deaths * registered in the Dublin Registration Area and in eleven provincial Urban Districts of the Irish Free State, with the annual rates per 1,000 of the population represented thereby, which, for the purposes of these Returns, is estimated at 662,256, are given in Table I. The deaths from all causes appertaining to the undermentioned areas for last week and for the past four weeks, respectively, were equal to the following annual rates per 1,000 of the population:—

Twelve Town Districts, 15·0 and 18·4; Dublin Registration Area, 15·6 and 18·4; Dublin City, 16·3 and 19·4; Cork, 21·8 and 22·8; Limerick, 12·2 and 17·3, and Waterford, 11·4 and 11·4.

The deaths* from certain epidemic diseases † registered in the 12 town districts during last week were equal to an annual rate of 1·3 per 1,000. Among the 32 deaths from all causes for Cork are 4 from measles, and one of the 4 deaths from all causes for Kilkenny is from the same disease.

DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA.

In the Dublin Registration Area the total number of births registered during the week amounted to 250—128 boys and 122 girls—and the deaths to 142—73 males and 69 females.

The deaths registered, omitting the deaths (numbering 14) of persons admitted into public institutions from localities outside the Area, represent an annual rate of mortality of 15·6 per 1,000 of the population. During the twenty weeks ending with Saturday last, the death-rate averaged 22·7 and was 1·0 below the mean rate for the corresponding portions of the ten years 1912-21. The rate for all deaths registered during the twenty weeks was 24·4 and for the corresponding period of the preceding ten years 25·4.

Included in the 128 deaths appertaining to the Area are one from enteric fever, 4 from measles, one from whooping-cough, one from diphtheria, 3 from diarrhœa and enteritis of children under 2 years, and one from influenza. In the 3 preceding weeks deaths from measles were 10, 6, and 13; deaths from whooping-cough, one, 2, and one; deaths from diphtheria one, one, and 0; deaths from diarrhœa and enteritis of children under 2 years 3, 3, and 7; and death from influenza 3, 2, and 2. There were no deaths from enteric fever registered in the three preceding weeks.

There were 7 deaths from pneumonia, comprising 2 from broncho-pneumonia, 2 from lobar pneumonia, and 3 from pneumonia (not otherwise defined).

Tuberculous disease caused 23 deaths (including 19 from pulmonary tuberculosis, 3 from tuberculous meningitis, and one from disseminated tuberculosis), as against 15, 27, and 20 from all forms of tuberculous disease in the 3 weeks preceding.

Four deaths were caused by cancer, 8 by organic diseases of the heart, and 16 by bronchitis.

Two deaths attributed to accidental violence were registered and there was one case of homicide.

Among deaths of infants under one year old, one was due to diphtheria, one to tuberculous meningitis, one to disseminated tuberculosis, one to convulsions, 3 to bronchitis, one to pneumonia, 3 to diarrhœa and enteritis, one to congenital malformation, 7 to premature birth, and 4 to congenital debility.

Thirty-five of the deaths registered during the week, appertaining to the Area, were those of children under 5 years of age, 24 being infants under one year, of whom 11 were under one month old, and 34 deaths were those of persons aged 65 and upwards, of whom 22 were 70 years of age or over.

Of the 128 deaths recorded, 47 occurred in hospitals and other public institutions.

ENGLAND AND SCOTLAND.

The mortality among civilians for the week ended 20th May, in 105 large English towns (including London in which the rate was 12·0) was equal to an average annual death rate of 12·3 per 1,000 of the estimated civil population.

The average death-rate for 16 principal towns of Scotland was 15·3 per 1,000 persons living, the rate for Glasgow being 14·4 and for Edinburgh 13·0.

* Exclusive of the deaths of persons admitted into public institutions from without the respective districts.
† Enteric fever, typhus, small-pox, measles, scarlet fever, whooping-cough, diphtheria, dysentery, and diarrhœal diseases.

Table I.—BIRTHS and DEATHS registered during the week ending Saturday, 20th May, 1922, in the Dublin Registration Area, in each of the under-mentioned 11 Cities or Urban Districts, and in Belfast and Londonderry Cities (*exclusive of Births and Deaths in Public Institutions relating to Persons admitted from other Districts*), the Number of Deaths from some of the Principal Causes, and the Number of Uncertified Deaths with the Temperature and Rainfall for the week: also particulars regarding Births, Deaths and Meteorology in London, Edinburgh, and Glasgow.

Towns and Districts.	Population. Total (a)	Population. Persons to an Acre.	Annual Rate per 1,000 Persons Represented by Births.	Annual Rate per 1,000 Persons Represented by Deaths. From all Causes.	Annual Rate per 1,000 Persons Represented by Deaths. From certain Epidemic Diseases. (b)	Registration—Week ending Saturday, 20th May, 1922. Numbers Registered. Births. Total Number.	Deaths. Total Number.	Deaths. Under 1 year of Age.	Deaths. At 65 years and upwards.	Deaths. Caused by. Enteric Fever.	Typhus.	Small-pox.	Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Whooping-cough.	Diphtheria.	Dysentery.	Influenza.	Tuberculosis. Pulmonary.	Tuberculosis. Other Forms.	Cancer.	Diseases of the Respiratory System. Pneumonia.	Diseases of the Respiratory System. Other.	Diarrhœa and Enteritis of children under 2 years of age.	Diarrhœa, 2 years of age and upwards.	Violence.	Inquest Cases.	No. of Deaths in Public Institutions.	Number of Uncertified Deaths.	Meteorology. (c) Week ending 20th May, 1922. Air Temperature. Absolute Highest.	Absolute Lowest.	Mean Maximum (A).	Mean Minimum (B).	Mean of (A) and (B).	Rainfall in Inches.
Cols.	(1)	(2)	3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)	(14)	(15)	(16)	(17)	(18)	(19)	(20)	(21)	(22)	(23)	(24)	(25)	(26)	(27)	(28)	(29)	(30)	(31)	(32)	(33)	(34)	(35)
Total of 12 Town Districts ...	662,256	18·9	26·5	15·0	1·3	337	191	36	48	1	.	.	9	.	1	1	.	2	30	5	8	14	23	4	.	4	3	61	8	.	.	.	.	.	.
Dublin Registration Area	427,000	30·5	28·0	15·6	1·2	229	128	24	34	1	.	.	4	.	1	1	.	1	19	4	4	7	18	3	.	3	2	47	2	(d)70·0	39·0	61·4	47·1	54·2	0·54
Urban Districts. City of Dublin	327,000	40·0	29·0	16·3	1·6	182	102	23	20	1	.	.	4	.	1	1	.	1	16	3	1	7	16	3	.	3	2	43	2	(e)(f)71·8	40·2	61·9	48·3	55·1	0·49
Urban Districts. Rathmines and Rathgar ...	41,500	24·2	22·6	12·6	.	18	10	.	5	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	1	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Urban Districts. Pembroke ...	31,100	19·8	25·1	16·8	.	15	10	.	6	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Urban Districts. Blackrock ...	9,900	9·1	15·8	5·3	.	3	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Urban Districts. Dún Laoghaire	17,500	12·0	32·8	14·9	.	11	5	1	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	63	43	57·8	49·1	53·4	0·43
Urban Districts. Cork	76,673	28·6	31·3	21·8	2·7	46	32	7	5	.	.	.	4	.	.	.	.	.	7	.	2	5	1	.	.	.	.	5	3	62	45	56·4	49·1	52·8	1·34
Urban Districts. Limerick ...	38 18	16 1	23 0	12 2	.	17	9	1	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	2	.	.	1	1	.	.	1	1	7	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Urban Districts. Waterford ...	2 64	19 1	5·7	11·4	1·9	3	6	1	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.
Urban Districts. Galway	13,255	2.5	The annual rates represented by the numbers of births and deaths registered for these urban districts will be shown in the Quarterly Summary of the Weekly Returns.			4	2	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	58	40	57	46	51·5	1·27
Urban Districts. Dundalk ...	13,128	9·5				13	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.
Urban Districts. Drogheda ...	12,501	8·4				2	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Urban Districts. Wexford ...	11,531	22·8				6	3	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Urban Districts. Sligo	11,163	2·8				8	3	.	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	66	44	60	47	53·5	0·69
Urban Districts. Kilkenny ...	10,514	11·4				5	4	2	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	67	35	60·1	46·4	53·2	0·65
Urban Districts. Tralee ...	10,300	17·4				1	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Urban Districts. Clonmel	10,209	4·8				3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Belfast City	425,000	24·3	26 0	12·9	0 7	212	105	13	23		.	.	2	.	.	2	.	.	20	3	3	6	6	1	1	13	3	43	1	64·2	38·8	60·8	47·4	54·1	1·05
Londonderry City ...	46,000	36·3	45·3	14·7	1·1	40	13	5	4	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	1	2	3	.	.	.	.	3		.	.	.	.	.	.
London	4,476,238	—	—	12·0	—	1,994	1,038	125	360	1	.	.	51	6	23	21	—	—	85	21	105	86	88	5	.	45	84	533	2	77	37	68·6	45·0	56·8	0·17
Edinburgh	420,486	—	—	13·0	1·6	203	105	17	33	.	.	.	4	2	4	1	—	1	—	—	—	13		2	—	4	—	—	—	60·0	41·0	57·3	45·1	51·2	0·36
Glasgow	1,037,845	—	—	14·4	2·3	590	287g	64	63	1	.	.	32	.	2	2	—	1	—	—	—	50		8	—	8	—	—	—	59·4	42·8	55·5	45·7	50·6	2·02

(a) According to the Census of 1911, but in the cases of the Dublin Registration Area and its component parts, the population given is that estimated to the middle of 1922. The estimate shown for London relates to the civil population in 1921. The population for Glasgow and Edinburgh is that provisionally estimated to the middle of 1922. (b) See note (†) at foot of first page. (c) The observations shown for Cork were taken at Roche's Point, and those for Sligo at Markree. (d) Observations at Ordnance Survey Office, Phœnix Park. (e) Observations by Sir John Moore, taken at Fitzwilliam Square. (f) Observations taken at the Botanic Gardens, Glasnevin. (g) Including one death from Cerebro-Spinal Meningitis.

TABLE II.—Showing for the WEEK ENDED 20TH MAY, 1922, the number of DEATHS of Residents of the several REGISTRARS' DISTRICTS in the DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA, and in the CITY OF CORK, the annual Rate per 1,000 of the Population of the respective Districts represented thereby, and by the Deaths from the principal Epidemic Diseases†; with the mortality from some of the principal causes; also the Deaths at certain age-periods, and the number of Uncertified Deaths, *the Deaths in Public Institutions being assigned to the Districts from which the deceased were admitted.*

REGISTRARS' DISTRICTS, &c.	Estimated Population Middle of 1922.*	Annual Rate of Mortality per 1,000 Living represented by Deaths. From all causes	From certain Epidemic Diseases†	Total Deaths.	Under 1 year.	1 and under 2.	2 and under 5.	5 and under 15.	15 and under 25.	25 and under 45.	45 and under 65.	65 and upwards.	Enteric Fever.	Typhus.	Small-pox.	Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Whooping-cough.	Diphtheria.	Dysentery.	Influenza.	Tuberculosis. Pulmonary.	Tuberculosis. Other Forms.	Cancer.	Diseases of Respiratory System. Pneumonia.	Diseases of Respiratory System. Other.	Diarrhœa and Enteritis of Children under 2 years.	Diarrhœa, 2 years and upwards.	Violence.	Other Causes.	Inquest Cases.	In Institutions. In Hospitals, Prisons and Lunatic Asylums.	In Institutions. In Workhouse Hospitals.	Number of Uncertified Deaths.
					WEEK ENDED SATURDAY 20TH MAY, 1922. DEATHS. CAUSED BY																													
Cols.	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)	(14)	(15)	(16)	(17)	(18)	(19)	(20)	(21)	(22)	(23)	(24)	(25)	(26)	(27)	(28)	(29)	(30)	(31)	(32)	(33)	(34)
DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA.																																		
Dublin City Districts. North City, No. 1, E.	31,600	21·5	.	13	7	1	.	.	.	2	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	3	.	.	1	2	.	.	.	7	.	5	1	1
" 1, W.	43,300	10·[illegible]	1·2	9	1	.	.	.	1	1	1	5	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	1	1	.	.	5	.	3	.	.
" 2	29,000	19·8	1·8	11	5	.	.	.	1	1	1	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	2	.	1	5	1	.	.	1	.	2	1	.
" 3	35,900	14·5	.	10	3	1	.	.	1	2	2	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	1	.	.	.	1	7	.	4	1	.
Clontarf and Howth, No. 1, part of	5,800	18·0	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.
Coolock and Drumcondra, part of	14,300	14·6	.	4	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	3	1	1	.	.
Finglas and Glasnevin, part of	11,700	8·9	.	2	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	1	1	.	.
South City, No. 1	45,300	17·3	3·5	15	.	1	1	3	2	3	4	1	.	.	.	3	.	.	.	.	1	4	1	1	.	.	.	.	1	4	.	4	2	.
" 2	19,100	16·4	.	6	.	.	1	2	.	.	2	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	3	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	2	.	1	2	1
" 3	45,600	24·0	2·3	21	4	1	2	2	2	1	4	5	1	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	1	6	.	.	.	11	.	6	1	.
" 4	34,500	10·6	3·0	7	2	.	1	1	.	1	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	2	.	.	.	1	1	.	.	2	.	5	2	.
New Kilmainham	10,900	9·6	4·8	2	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.
Urban Districts. Rathmines and Rathgar	41,500	12·6	.	10	.	.	.	1	.	1	3	5	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	1	.	.	1	.	.	.	6	.	2	.	.
Pembroke	31,100	16·8	.	10	.	.	.	.	1	.	3	6	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	7	.	.	.	.
Blackrock	9,900	5·3	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.
Dún Laoghaire	17,500	14·9	.	5	1	.	1	.	.	.	1	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	3	.	1	1	.
Total City of Dublin	327,000	16·3	1·6	102	23	5	5	8	8	13	20	20	1	.	.	4	.	1	1	.	1	16	3	1	7	16	3	.	3	45	2	33	10	2
Total Urban Districts	100,000	13·6	.	26	1	.	1	1	1	1	7	14	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	3	1	3	.	2	.	.	.	17	.	3	1	.
Total Dublin Registration Area	427,000	15·6	1·2	128	24	5	6	9	9	14	27	34	1	.	.	4	.	1	1	.	1	19	4	4	7	18	3	.	3	62	2	36	11	2
Deaths relating to residents of localities situated outside the Registration Area (not included in above)				14	1	.	.	1	3	4	4	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	2	2	2	.	.	.	2	4	2	14	.	.
CITY OF CORK.																																		
Cork City Districts. Cork Urban, No. 1	13,455	3·9	.	1	1	.		.		.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.
" 2	10,399	25·1	.	5	.	.		1		1	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.
" 3	9 793	31·9	5·3	6	2	2		.		1	.	1	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	2	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	.	1
" 4	9,139	22·8	11·4	4	1	1		.		1	1	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	.
" 5	6,250	25·0	.	3	1	.		.		1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	1	1	.
" 6	11,581	36·0	4·5	8	1	1		2		.	1	3	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	1	1	.	.	.	3	.	.	.	1
" 7	16,056	16·2	.	5	1	.		1		.	2	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	4	.	1	.	.
Total City of Cork	76,673	21·8	2·7	32	7	4		4		4	8	5	.	.	.	4	.	.	.	.	.	7	.	2	5	1	.	.	.	13	.	5		3

* The populations given for the City of Cork and its component parts are those according to the Census of 1911. † See note (†) at foot of first page.

TABLE III.—Showing the NUMBER of CASES of INFECTIOUS DISEASES notified in the Dublin Registration Area (viz. :—the City of Dublin, and the Urban Districts of Rathmines and Rathgar, Pembroke, Blackrock and Dún Laoghaire), and in the Cities of Cork, Limerick, and Waterford, during the week ended 20th May, 1922, and each of the preceding three weeks, as furnished by the respective Sanitary Authorities. A dash (—) denotes that the disease in question is not notifiable in the District.

Cities and Urban Districts.	Week ending	Enteric Fever.	Typhus.	Pyrexia—Continued Fever.	Relapsing Fever.	Small-pox.	Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Whooping-cough.	Diphtheria (including Membranous Croup).	Erysipelas.	Puerperal Fever.	Diarrhœal Diseases.	Dysentery.	Malaria.	Trench Fever.	Acute Primary Pneumonia and Acute Influenzal Pneumonia.	Cerebro-spinal Fever.	Acute Poliomyelitis.	Encephalitis Lethargica.	Tuberculosis.	Total.
City of Dublin	Apr. 29	1	.	.	.	.	—	9	—	5	2	1	—	.	.	.	2	.	.	—	8	28
	May 6	.	.	.	.	.	—	11	—	8	2	.	—	2	.	.	4	.	.	—	5	32
	May 13	1	.	.	.	.	—	7	—	2	1	.	—	.	.	.	3	.	.	—	19	33
	May 20	.	.	.	.	.	—	7	—	2	.	.	—	.	.	.	11	.	.	—	5	25
Rathmines & Rathgar Urban District	Apr. 29	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	1	.	.	—	—	1
	May 6	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	1	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	1
	May 13	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	.
	May 20	.	.	.	.	.	—	1	—	1	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	2
Pembroke Urban District	Apr. 29	.	.	.	.	.	5	.	1	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	6
	May 6	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	2	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	3
	May 13	.	.	.	.	.	4	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	4
	May 20	.	.	.	.	.	6	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	6
Blackrock Urban District	Apr. 29	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.
	May 6	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	1	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	1
	May 13	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.
	May 20	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.
Dún Laoghaire Urban District	Apr. 29	.	.	.	.	.	—	1	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	1
	May 6	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.
	May 13	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	1	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	1
	May 20	.	.	.	.	.	—	1	—	3	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	4
City of Cork	Apr. 29	.	.	.	.	.	50	1	—	6	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	—	57
	May 6	.	.	.	.	.	63	2	—	5	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	—	70
	May 13	1	.	.	.	.	36	1	—	3	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	—	43
	May 20	.	.	.	.	.	31	1	—	6	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	—	38a
City of Limerick	Apr. 29	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	.
	May 6	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	1	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	1
	May 13	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	1	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	1
	May 20	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	.
City of Waterford	Apr. 29	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	.	.
	May 6	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	.	.
	May 13	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	.	.
	May 20	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	.	.

(*a*) Not including 2 cases of Varicella.

TABLE IV.—Showing the NUMBER of CASES of the undermentioned DISEASES treated in Dublin Hospitals during the week ended Saturday, 20th May, 1922, with the number under treatment at the close of each of the last four weeks.

Diseases	No. of Cases in Hospital at close of week ended			Week ended 20th May.			
	Apr. 29	May 6	May 13	No. admitted.	Dis-charged.	Died.	No. under treatment at close of week.
Enteric Fever, ...	7	7	7	3	2	1	7
Typhus, ...	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Small-pox, ...	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Measles, ...	47	56	60	23	19	1	63
Scarlet Fever, ...	49	54	50	9	13	.	46*
Diphtheria, ...	37	38	38	8	6	.	40
Pneumonia, ...	39	36	35	14	8	1	40

* Exclusive of 21 patients in "Beneavin," the Convalescent Home of Cork Street Fever Hospital.

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TWELVE TOWN DISTRICTS.

The Births and Deaths * registered in the Dublin Registration Area and in eleven provincial Urban Districts of the Irish Free State, with the annual rates per 1,000 of the population represented thereby, which, for the purposes of these Returns, is estimated at 662,256, are given in Table I. The deaths from all causes appertaining to the undermentioned areas for last week and for the past four weeks, respectively, were equal to the following annual rates per 1,000 of the population:—

Twelve Town Districts, 14·9 and 17·4; Dublin Registration Area, 14·2 and 17·4; Dublin City, 14·4 and 18·1; Cork, 16·3 and 20·4; Limerick, 10·8 and 12·9, and Waterford, 13·3 and 13·3.

The deaths* from certain epidemic diseases † registered in the 12 town districts during last week were equal to an annual rate of 1·2 per 1,000. Among the 24 deaths from all causes for Cork are 4 from measles.

DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA.

In the Dublin Registration Area the total number of births registered during the week amounted to 261—140 boys and 121 girls—and the deaths to 129—62 males and 67 females.

The deaths registered, omitting the deaths (numbering 13) of persons admitted into public institutions from localities outside the Area, represent an annual rate of mortality of 14·2 per 1,000 of the population. During the twenty-one weeks ending with Saturday last, the death-rate averaged 22·3 and was 1·2 below the mean rate for the corresponding portions of the ten years 1912-21. The rate for all deaths registered during the twenty-one weeks was 24·0 and for the corresponding period of the preceding ten years 25·2.

Included in the 116 deaths appertaining to the Area are 5 from measles, 2 from whooping-cough, one from diphtheria, 2 from diarrhœa and enteritis of children under 2 years, and 3 from influenza. In the 3 preceding weeks deaths from measles were 6, 13, and 4; deaths from whooping-cough, 2, one, and one; deaths from diphtheria one, 0, and one; deaths from diarrhœa and enteritis of children under 2 years 3, 7, and 3; and deaths from influenza 2, 2, and one.

There were 16 deaths from pneumonia, comprising 13 from broncho-pneumonia, and 3 from pneumonia (not otherwise defined).

Tuberculous disease caused 12 deaths (including 7 from pulmonary tuberculosis, 3 from tuberculous meningitis, and 2 from other forms of tuberculous disease), as against 27, 20, and 23 from all forms of tuberculous disease in the 3 weeks preceding.

Ten deaths were caused by cancer, 10 by organic diseases of the heart, and 15 by bronchitis.

One death attributed to scalds was recorded.

Among deaths of infants under one year old, 2 were due to measles, one to whooping-cough, one to tuberculous meningitis, one to meningitis, 3 to bronchitis, 7 to broncho-pneumonia, 2 to diarrhœa and enteritis, one to congenital malformation, one to premature birth, and 4 to congenital debility.

Thirty-eight of the deaths registered during the week, appertaining to the Area, were those of children under 5 years of age, 23 being infants under one year, of whom 4 were under one month old, and 27 deaths were those of persons aged 65 and upwards, of whom 17 were 70 years of age or over.

Of the 116 deaths recorded, 45 occurred in hospitals and other public institutions.

ENGLAND AND SCOTLAND.

The mortality among civilians for the week ended 27th May, in 105 large English towns (including London in which the rate was 13·6) was equal to an average annual death rate of 12·4 per 1,000 of the estimated civil population.

The average death-rate for 16 principal towns of Scotland was 14·2 per 1,000 persons living, the rate for Glasgow being 14·0 and for Edinburgh 12·5.

* Exclusive of the deaths of persons admitted into public institutions from without the respective districts.
† Enteric fever, typhus, small-pox, measles, scarlet fever, whooping-cough, diphtheria, dysentery, and diarrhœal diseases.

Table I.—BIRTHS and DEATHS registered during the week ended Saturday, 27th May, 1922, in the Dublin Registration Area, in each of the under-mentioned 11 Cities or Urban Districts, and in Belfast and Londonderry Cities (*exclusive of Births and Deaths in Public Institutions relating to Persons admitted from other Districts*), the Number of Deaths from some of the Principal Causes, and the Number of Uncertified Deaths with the Temperature and Rainfall for the week; also particulars regarding Births, Deaths and Meteorology in London, Edinburgh, and Glasgow.

Towns and Districts.	Population. Total (a)	Population. Persons to an Acre.	Annual Rate per 1,000 Persons Represented by Births	Annual Rate per 1,000 Persons Represented by Deaths. From all Causes.	Annual Rate per 1,000 Persons Represented by Deaths. From certain Epidemic Diseases. (b)	Registration—Week ended Saturday, 27th May, 1922. Numbers Registered. Births. Total Number	Deaths. Total Number	Under 1 year of Age.	At 65 years and upwards.	Caused by: Enteric Fever.	Typhus.	Small-pox.	Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Whooping-cough.	Diphtheria.	Dysentery.	Influenza.	Tuberculosis. Pulmonary.	Tuberculosis. Other Forms.	Cancer.	Diseases of the Respiratory System. Pneumonia.	Diseases of the Respiratory System. Other.	Diarrhœa and Enteritis of children under 2 years of age.	Diarrhœa, 2 years of age and upwards.	Violence.	Inquest Cases.	No. of Deaths in Public Institutions.	Number of Uncertified Deaths.	Meteorology. (c) Week ended 27th May, 1922. Air Temperature. Absolute Highest.	Absolute Lowest.	Mean Maximum (A).	Mean Minimum (B).	Mean of (A) and (B).	Rainfall in Inches.
Cols.	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)	(14)	(15)	(16)	(17)	(18)	(19)	(20)	(21)	(22)	(23)	(24)	(25)	(26)	(27)	(28)	(29)	(30)	(31)	(32)	(33)	(34)	(35)
Total of 12 Town Districts ...	662,256	18·9	25·4	14·9	1·2	323	189	33	52	.	.	.	9	.	2	1	.	3	14	6	13	23	23	3	.	3	3	65	7	.	.	.	.	.	.
Dublin Registration Area	427,000	30·5	27·8	14·2	1·2	228	116	23	27	.	.	.	5	.	2	1	.	3	7	5	10	16	16	2	.	1	1	45	1	(d)68·8	38·3	63·4	45·6	54·5	0·02
Urban Districts. City of Dublin	327,000	40·0	32·1	14·4	1·6	201	90	20	17	.	.	.	5	.	2	1	.	1	6	3	7	16	12	2	.	1	1	38	1	(e)68·0 (f)70·2	46·4 41·0	64·0 64·9	51·4 48·0	57·7 56·4	0·02 0·04
Urban Districts. Rathmines and Rathgar ...	41,500	24·2	20·1	17·6	.	16	14	1	5	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	1	1	1	.	2	.	.	.	.	5	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Urban Districts. Pembroke ...	31,100	19·8	15·1	6·7	.	9	4	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Urban Districts. Blackrock ...	9,900	9·1	.	5·3	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Urban Districts. Dún Laoghaire	17,500	12·0	6·0	20·9	.	2	7	.	5	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	73	47	64·8	51·7	58·3	0·01
Urban Districts. Cork	76,673	28·6	20·4	16·3	2·7	30	24	5	6	.	.	.	4	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	5	2	.	.	.	.	6	2	65	48	58·4	50·3	54·4	0·20
Urban Districts. Limerick ...	38,518	16·1	10·8	10·8	.	8	8	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	.	2	.	.	1	1	4	1	.	.	.	.	.	.
Urban Districts. Waterford ...	27,464	19·1	30·4	13·3	1·9	16	7	1	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	1	.	1	.	.	.	2	1	.	.	.	.	.	.
Urban Districts. Galway	13,255	2.5	The annual rates represented by the numbers of births and deaths registered for these urban districts will be shown in the Quarterly Summary of the Weekly Returns.			5	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	63	42	60	46	53	0·93
Urban Districts. Dundalk ...	13,128	9·5				4	4	1	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Urban Districts. Drogheda ...	12,501	8·4				6	8	.	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Urban Districts. Wexford ...	11,531	22·8				15	4	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Urban Districts. Sligo	11,163	2·8				3	4	1	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	65	36	61	46	53·5	0·39
Urban Districts. Kilkenny ...	10,514	11·4				3	11	.	5	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	5	.	68	43	64·0	48·7	56·3	0·07
Urban Districts. Tralee ...	10,300	17·4				1	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Urban Districts. Clonmel	10,209	4·8				4	2	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.
Belfast City	425,000	24·3	22·5	12·1	0·4	183	99	12	19	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	11	3	5	4	9	2	.	22	5	39	.	73·0	48·5	68·1	51·7	59·9	0·82
Londonderry City ...	46,000	36·3	12·5	17·0	.	11	15	2	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	4	2	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
London	4,476,238	—	—	13·6	—	1,840	1,178	178	378	3	.	.	68	12	25	24	—	—	89	17	119	111	70	16	5	40	87	658	2	91	51	82·9	55·9	69·4	0·46
Edinburgh	420,486	—	—	12·5	2·1	140	101	15	36	.	.	.	12	.	4	1	—	1	—	—	—	11		.	—	3	—	—	—	66·0	44·0	62·4	47·0	54·7	0·11
Glasgow	1,037,845	—	—	14·0	1·6	551	278g	52	73	.	.	.	23	1	3	2	—	1	—	—	—	51		3	—	6	—	—	—	66·0	41·1	60·8	47·6	54·2	0·45

(a) According to the Census of 1911, but in the cases of the Dublin Registration Area and its component parts, the population given is that estimated to the middle of 1922. The estimate shown for London relates to the civil population in 1921. The population for Glasgow and Edinburgh is that provisionally estimated to the middle of 1922. (b) See note (†) at foot of first page. (c) The observations shown for Cork were taken at Roche's Point, and those for Sligo at Markree. (d) Observations at Ordnance Survey Office, Phœnix Park. (e) Observations by Sir John Moore, taken at Fitzwilliam Square. (f) Observations taken at the Botanic Gardens, Glasnevin. (g) Including 3 deaths from Cerebro-Spinal Meningitis.

TABLE II.—Showing for the WEEK ENDED 27TH MAY, 1922, the number of DEATHS of Residents of the several REGISTRARS' DISTRICTS in the DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA, and in the CITY OF CORK, the annual Rate per 1,000 of the Population of the respective Districts represented thereby, and by the Deaths from the principal Epidemic Diseases†; with the mortality from some of the principal causes; also the Deaths at certain age-periods, and the number of Uncertified Deaths, *the Deaths in Public Institutions being assigned to the Districts from which the deceased were admitted.*

WEEK ENDED SATURDAY 27TH MAY, 1922.

REGISTRARS' DISTRICTS, &c.	Estimated Population middle of 1922.*	Annual Rate of Mortality per 1,000 Living represented by Deaths. From all causes	From certain Epidemic Diseases†	Total Deaths.	DEATHS. Under 1 year.	1 and under 2.	2 and under 5.	5 and under 15.	15 and under 25.	25 and under 45.	45 and under 65.	65 and upwards.	Caused by: Enteric Fever.	Typhus.	Small-pox.	Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Whooping-cough.	Diphtheria.	Dysentery.	Influenza.	Tuberculosis. Pulmonary.	Other Forms.	Cancer.	Diseases of Respiratory System. Pneumonia.	Other.	Diarrhœa and Enteritis of Children under 2 years.	Diarrhœa, 2 years and upwards.	Violence.	Other Causes.	Inquest Cases.	In Institutions. In Hospitals, Prisons and Lunatic Asylums.	In Workhouse Hospitals.	Number of Uncertified Deaths.
COLS.	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)	(14)	(15)	(16)	(17)	(18)	(19)	(20)	(21)	(22)	(23)	(24)	(25)	(26)	(27)	(28)	(29)	(30)	(31)	(32)	(33)	34)
DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA.																																		
Dublin City Districts. North City, No. 1, E.	31,600	16·5	3·3	10	4	1	.	.	.	1	1	3	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	3	2	1	.	.	3	.	1	1	.
" 1, W.	43,300	14·5	1·2	12	2	2	1	.	1	.	2	4	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	1	.	2	3	1	.	.	1	3	.	4	1	.
" 2	29,000	10·8	.	6	1	.	1	1	.	1	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	1	.	.	.	3	.	2	1	.
" 3	35,900	11·6	.	8	1	1	.	2	1	1	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	2	.	.	.	.	5	.	4	1	.
CLONTARF AND HOWTH, No. 1, part of	5,800	27·0	.	3	1	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.
COOLOCK AND DRUMCONDRA, part of	14,300	7·3	.	2	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.
FINGLAS AND GLASNEVIN, part of	11,700	13·4	.	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	2	.	.	.	.
SOUTH CITY, No. 1	45,300	13·8	3·5	12	5	1	.	1	1	1	2	1	.	.	.	3	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	4	2	.	.	.	1	.	5	2	.
" 2	19,100	19·1	5·5	7	2	1	.	.	.	.	3	1	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	3	1	.	.	1	1	1	.	.
" 3	45,600	22·9	2·3	20	3	2	3	.	2	2	5	3	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	.	1	1	3	2	1	.	.	.	10	.	7	3	1
" 4	34,500	9·1	.	6	1	1	.	.	.	3	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	1	1	.	.	.	3	.	3	.	.
NEW KILMAINHAM	10,900	4·8	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.
Urban Districts. RATHMINES AND RATHGAR	41,500	17·3	.	14	1	1	.	2	1	2	2	5	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	1	1	1	.	2	.	.	.	7	.	4	1	.
PEMBROKE	31,100	6·7	.	4	2	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	.	2	.	1	.	.
BLACKROCK	9,900	5·3	.	1	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
DÚN LAOGHAIRE	17,500	20·9	.	7	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	5	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	5	.	1	.	.
Total City of Dublin	327,000	14·4	1·6	90	20	9	5	4	6	9	20	17	.	.	.	5	.	2	1	.	1	6	3	7	16	12	2	.	1	34	1	29	9	1
Total Urban Districts	100,000	13·6	.	26	3	1	.	2	2	3	5	10	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	1	2	3	.	4	.	.	.	14	.	6	1	.
Total Dublin Registration Area	427,000	14·2	1·2	116	23	10	5	6	8	12	25	27	.	.	.	5	.	2	1	.	3	7	5	10	16	16	2	.	1	48	1	35	10	1
Deaths relating to residents of localities situated outside the Registration Area (not included in above)				13	4	.	.	1	.	3	3	2	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	10	.	12	1	.
CITY OF CORK.																																		
Cork City Districts. CORK URBAN, No. 1	13,455	15·5	.	4	1		.		.	2	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	2	.	.	.	.	1	.	1		1
" 2	10,399	20·1	5·0	4	.		1		.	.	2	1	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	3	.	1		.
" 3	9,793	16·0	5·3	3	.		2		.	.	1	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.		.
" 4	9,139	28·5	11·4	5	2		1		.	.	1	1	.	.	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	2	.	1		.
" 5	6,250	8·3	.	1	.		.		.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1		.
" 6	11,581	.	.	.	.		.		.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.		.
" 7	16,056	22·7	.	7	2		1		.	1	.	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	2	.	.	.	.	4	.	2		1
Total City of Cork	76,673	16·3	2·7	24	5		5		.	3	5	6	.	.	.	4	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	5	2	.	.	.	11	.	6		2

* The populations given for the City of Cork and its component parts are those according to the Census of 1911. † See note (†) at foot of first page.

TABLE III.—Showing the NUMBER of CASES of INFECTIOUS DISEASES notified in the Dublin Registration Area (viz. :—the City of Dublin, and the Urban Districts of Rathmines and Rathgar, Pembroke, Blackrock and Dún Laoghaire), and in the Cities of Cork, Limerick, and Waterford, during the week ended 27th May, 1922, and each of the preceding three weeks, as furnished by the respective Sanitary Authorities. A dash (—) denotes that the disease in question is not notifiable in the District.

Cities and Urban Districts.	Week ending	Enteric Fever.	Typhus.	Pyrexia—Continued Fever.	Relapsing Fever.	Small-pox.	Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Whooping-cough.	Diphtheria (including Membranous Croup).	Erysipelas.	Puerperal Fever.	Diarrhœal Diseases.	Dysentery.	Malaria.	Trench Fever.	Acute Primary Pneumonia and Acute Influenzal Pneumonia.	Cerebro-spinal Fever.	Acute Poliomyelitis.	Encephalitis Lethargica	Tuberculosis.	Total.
City of Dublin	May 6	.	.	.	.	.	—	11	—	8	2	.	—	2	.	.	4	.	.	—	5	32
	May 13	1	.	.	.	.	—	7	—	2	1	.	—	.	.	.	3	.	.	—	19	33
	May 20	.	.	.	.	.	—	7	—	2	.	.	—	.	.	.	11	.	.	—	5	25
	May 27	4	.	.	.	.	—	4	—	11	2	.	—	.	.	.	9	.	.	—	11	41
Rathmines & Rathgar Urban District	May 6	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	1	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	1
	May 13	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	.
	May 20	.	.	.	.	.	—	1	—	1	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	2
	May 27	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	1	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	1
Pembroke Urban District	May 6	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	2	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	3
	May 13	.	.	.	.	.	4	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	4
	May 20	.	.	.	.	.	6	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	6
	May 27	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	2	3
Blackrock Urban District	May 6	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	1	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	1
	May 13	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.
	May 20	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.
	May 27	.	.	.	.	.	1	2	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	3
Dún Laoghaire Urban District	May 6	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.
	May 13	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	1	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	1
	May 20	.	.	.	.	.	—	1	—	3	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	4
	May 27	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.
City of Cork	May 6	.	.	.	.	.	63	2	—	5	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	—	70*a*
	May 13	1	.	.	.	.	36	1	—	3	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	—	43
	May 20	.	.	.	.	.	31	1	—	6	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	—	38*a*
	May 27	1	.	.	.	.	21	.	—	7	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	—	29
City of Limerick	May 6	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	1	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	1
	May 13	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	1	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	1
	May 20	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	.
	May 27	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	.
City of Waterford	May 6	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	.	.
	May 13	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	.	.
	May 20	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	.	.
	May 27	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	.	.

(*a*) Not including 2 cases of Varicella.

TABLE IV.—Showing the NUMBER of CASES of the undermentioned DISEASES treated in Dublin Hospitals during the week ended Saturday, 27th May, 1922, with the number under treatment at the close of each of the last four weeks.

Diseases	No. of Cases in Hospital at close of week ended			Week ended 27th May.			
	May 6	May 13	May 20	No. admitted.	Discharged.	Died.	No. under treatment at close of week.
Enteric Fever, ...	7	7	7	2	1	.	8
Typhus, ...	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Small-pox, ...	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Measles, ...	56	60	63	8	16	.	55
Scarlet Fever,..	54	50	46	2	8	1	39*
Diphtheria, ...	38	38	40	19	8	1	50
Pneumonia, ...	36	35	40	9	8	1	40

* Exclusive of 15 patients in "Beneavin," the Convalescent Home of Cork Street Fever Hospital.

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TWELVE TOWN DISTRICTS.

The Births and Deaths * registered in the Dublin Registration Area and in eleven provincial Urban Districts of the Irish Free State, with the annual rates per 1,000 of the population represented thereby, which, for the purposes of these Returns, is estimated at 662,256, are given in Table I. The deaths from all causes appertaining to the undermentioned areas for last week and for the past four weeks, respectively, were equal to the following annual rates per 1,000 of the population:—

Twelve Town Districts, 14·0 and 15·9; Dublin Registration Area, 13·8 and 15·7; Dublin City, 13·1 and 15·9; Cork, 15·6 and 19·7; Limerick, 23·0 and 16·9, and Waterford, 7·6 and 11·4.

The deaths* from certain epidemic diseases † registered in the 12 town districts during last week were equal to an annual rate of 0·7 per 1,000. Among the 23 deaths from all causes for Cork are 2 from measles, and one of the 3 deaths recorded for Kilkenny is from whooping-cough.

DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA.

In the Dublin Registration Area the total number of births registered during the week amounted to 195—95 boys and 100 girls—and the deaths to 121—64 males and 57 females.

The deaths registered, omitting the deaths (numbering 8) of persons admitted into public institutions from localities outside the Area, represent an annual rate of mortality of 13·8 per 1,000 of the population. During the twenty-two weeks ending with Saturday last, the death-rate averaged 21·9 and was 1·3 below the mean rate for the corresponding portions of the ten years 1912-21. The rate for all deaths registered during the twenty-two weeks was 23·6 and for the corresponding period of the preceding ten years 24·9.

Included in the 113 deaths appertaining to the Area are one from each of enteric fever, measles, scarlet fever, and whooping-cough, and 2 from diarrhœa and enteritis of children under 2 years. In the 3 preceding weeks deaths from enteric fever were 0, one, and 0; deaths from measles, 13, 4, and 5; deaths from scarlet fever, one, 0, and 0; deaths from whooping-cough, one, one, and 2, and deaths from diarrhœa and enteritis of children under 2 years, 7, 3, and 2.

There were 8 deaths from pneumonia, comprising 2 from broncho-pneumonia, 3 from lobar pneumonia, and 3 from pneumonia (not otherwise defined).

Tuberculous disease caused 11 deaths (including 10 from pulmonary tuberculosis, and one from abdominal tuberculosis), as against 20, 23, and 12 from all forms of tuberculous disease in the 3 weeks preceding.

Ten deaths were caused by cancer, 10 by organic diseases of the heart, and 11 by bronchitis.

One death was attributed to infanticide.

Among deaths of infants under one year old, one was due to convulsions, one to broncho-pneumonia, 2 to diarrhœa and enteritis, one to congenital malformation, 3 to premature birth, and one to congenital debility.

Twenty-four of the deaths registered during the week, appertaining to the Area, were those of children under 5 years of age, 12 being infants under one year, of whom 6 were under one month old, and 35 deaths were those of persons aged 65 and upwards, of whom 27 were 70 years of age or over.

Of the 113 deaths recorded, 53 occurred in hospitals and other public institutions.

ENGLAND AND SCOTLAND.

The mortality among civilians for the week ended 3rd June, in 105 large English towns (including London in which the rate was 10·9) was equal to an average annual death rate of 10·9 per 1,000 of the estimated civil population.

The average death-rate for 16 principal towns of Scotland was 14·0 per 1,000 persons living, the rate for Glasgow being 13·1 and for Edinburgh 13·8.

* Exclusive of the deaths of persons admitted into public institutions from without the respective districts.
† Enteric fever, typhus, small-pox, measles, scarlet fever, whooping-cough, diphtheria, dysentery, and diarrhœal diseases.

TABLE I.—BIRTHS and DEATHS registered during the week ended Saturday, 3rd June, 1922, in the DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA, in each of the under-mentioned 11 CITIES OR URBAN DISTRICTS, and in BELFAST and LONDONDERRY CITIES (*exclusive of Births and Deaths in Public Institutions relating to Persons admitted from other Districts*), the Number of Deaths from some of the PRINCIPAL CAUSES, and the Number of Uncertified Deaths with the Temperature and Rainfall for the week; also particulars regarding Births, Deaths and Meteorology in London, Edinburgh, and Glasgow.

TOWNS AND DISTRICTS.	POPULATION. Total (a)	Persons to an Acre.	Annual Rate per 1,000 Persons Represented by BIRTHS.	DEATHS. From all Causes.	DEATHS. From certain Epidemic Diseases. (b)	BIRTHS Total Number	DEATHS. Total Number	Under 1 year of Age.	At 65 years and upwards.	Enteric Fever.	Typhus.	Small-pox.	Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Whooping-cough.	Diphtheria.	Dysentery.	Influenza.	Tuberculosis. Pulmonary.	Tuberculosis. Other Forms.	Cancer.	Diseases of the Respiratory System. Pneumonia.	Diseases of the Respiratory System. Other.	Diarrhœa and Enteritis of children under 2 years of age.	Diarrhœa, 2 years of age and upwards.	Violence.	Inquest Cases.	No. of Deaths in Public Institutions.	Number of Uncertified Deaths.	METEOROLOGY. (c) Week ended 3rd June, 1922. Air Temperature. Absolute Highest.	Absolute Lowest.	Mean Maximum (A).	Mean Minimum (B).	Mean of (A) and (B).	Rainfall in Inches.
COLS.	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)	(14)	(15)	(16)	(17)	(18)	(19)	(20)	(21)	(22)	(23)	(24)	(25)	(26)	(27)	(28)	(29)	(30)	(31)	(32)	(33)	(34)	(35)
TOTAL OF 12 TOWN DISTRICTS ...	662,256	18·9	21·1	14·0	0·7	268	178	21	53	1	.	.	3	1	2	.	.	.	21	5	14	10	18	2	.	4	3	81	7	.	.	.	.	.	.
DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA	427,000	30·5	21·7	13·8	0·7	178	113	12	35	1	.	.	1	1	1	.	.	.	10	1	10	8	14	2	.	1	1	53	3	(d)80·2	41·0	70·1	45·0	57·6	0·00
Urban Districts. CITY OF DUBLIN	327,000	40·0	22·0	13·1	0·8	138	82	8	22	1	.	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	6	1	9	5	11	2	.	.	.	39	2	(e)78·3 (f)82·2	46·6 43·0	69·8 70·2	53·2 47·5	61·5 58·9	0·00 0·00
Urban Districts. RATHMINES and RATHGAR ...	41,500	24·2	17·6	21·4	1·3	14	17	2	6	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	2	.	.	1	3	.	.	.	.	10	1	.	.	.	.	.	.
Urban Districts. PEMBROKE ...	31,100	19·8	20·1	10·1	.	12	6	2	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	1	1	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Urban Districts. BLACKROCK ...	9,900	9·1	26·3	15·8	.	5	3	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Urban Districts. DÚN LAOGHAIRE	17,500	12·0	26·8	14·9	.	9	5	.	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	77	46	69·5	51·0	60·2	0·00
Urban Districts. CORK	76,673	28·6	19·7	15·6	1·4	29	23	5	6	.	.	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	4	4	1	2	1	.	.	.	.	11	1	67	45	63·7	49·3	56·5	0·00
Urban Districts. LIMERICK ...	38,518	16·1	21·7	23·0	.	16	17	4	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	.	1	.	.	1	.	6	3	.	.	.	.	.	.
Urban Districts. WATERFORD ...	27,464	19·1	17·1	7·6	.	9	4	.	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Urban Districts. GALWAY	13,255	2.5	The annual rates represented by the numbers of births and deaths registered for these urban districts will be shown in the Quarterly Summary of the Weekly Returns.			3	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	.	82	44	72	47	59·5	0·00
Urban Districts. DUNDALK ...	13,128	9·5				7	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Urban Districts. DROGHEDA ...	12,501	8·4				4	6	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Urban Districts. WEXFORD ...	11,531	22·8				5	6	.	4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Urban Districts. SLIGO	11,163	2·8				2	4	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	4	.	78	40	69	44	56·5	0·04
Urban Districts. KILKENNY ...	10,514	11·4				8	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	81	41	72·5	45·4	58·9	0·00
Urban Districts. TRALEE ...	10,300	17·4				5	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Urban Districts. CLONMEL ...	10,209	4·8				2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
BELFAST CITY	425,000	24·3	—	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
LONDONDERRY CITY ...	46,000	36·3	—	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
LONDON	4,476,238	—	—	10·9	—	1919	944	97	299	1	.	.	40	6	10	22	—	—	78	20	109	78	55	12	8	41	67	492	1	83	45	78·4	51·0	64·7	0·00
EDINBURGH	420,486	—	—	13·8	1·5	184	111	13	30	.	.	.	8	.	1	.	—	.	—	—	—	10		3	—	5	—	—	—	76·0	43·0	66·7	47·6	57·1	0·00
GLASGOW	1,037,845	—	—	13·1	1·0	563	261g	49	66	1	.	.	9	3	3	.	—	1	—	—	—	41		4	—	12	—	—	—	75·5	43·4	66·1	48·9	57·5	0·09

(a) According to the Census of 1911, but in the cases of the Dublin Registration Area and its component parts, the population given is that estimated to the middle of 1922. The estimate shown for London relates to the civil population in 1921. The population for Glasgow and Edinburgh is that provisionally estimated to the middle of 1922. (b) See note (†) at foot of first page. (c) The observations shown for Cork were taken at Roche's Point, and those for Sligo at Markree. (d) Observations at Ordnance Survey Office, Phœnix Park. (e) Observations by Sir John Moore, taken at Fitzwilliam Square. (f) Observations taken at the Botanic Gardens, Glasnevin. (g) Including 3 deaths from Cerebro-Spinal Meningitis.

TABLE II.—Showing for the WEEK ENDED 3RD JUNE, 1922, the number of DEATHS of Residents of the several REGISTRARS' DISTRICTS in the DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA, and in the CITY OF CORK, the annual Rate per 1,000 of the Population of the respective Districts represented thereby, and by the Deaths from the principal Epidemic Diseases†; with the mortality from some of the principal causes; also the Deaths at certain age-periods, and the number of Uncertified Deaths, *the Deaths in Public Institutions being assigned to the Districts from which the deceased were admitted.*

WEEK ENDED SATURDAY 3RD JUNE, 1922.

REGISTRARS' DISTRICTS, &c.	Estimated Population middle of 1922.*	Annual Rate of Mortality per 1,000 Living represented by Deaths. From all causes	From certain Epidemic Diseases†	Total Deaths.	DEATHS. Under 1 year.	1 and under 2.	2 and under 5.	5 and under 15.	15 and under 25.	25 and under 45	45 and under 65.	65 and upwards.	Caused by: Enteric Fever.	Typhus.	Small-pox.	Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Whooping-cough.	Diphtheria.	Dysentery.	Influenza.	Tuberculosis. Pulmonary.	Other Forms.	Cancer.	Diseases of Respiratory System. Pneumonia.	Other.	Diarrhœa and Enteritis of Children under 2 years.	Diarrhœa, 2 years and upwards.	Violence.	Other Causes.	Inquest Cases.	In Institutions. In Hospitals, Prisons and Lunatic Asylums.	In Workhouse Hospitals.	Number of Uncertified Deaths.
Cols.	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)	(14)	(15)	(16)	(17)	(18)	(19)	(20)	(21)	(22)	(23)	(24)	(25)	(26)	(27)	(28)	(29)	(30)	(31)	(32)	(33)	34)
DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA.																																		
Dublin City Districts. North City, No. 1, E.	31,600	23·1	1·7	14	2	1	.	1	1	1	7	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	2	2	.	.	.	7	.	3	1	1
" 1, W.	43,300	16·9	.	14	2	.	1	.	1	2	4	4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	2	1	2	.	.	.	8	.	6	2	.
" 2	29,000	10·8	1·8	6	.	.	.	1	.	2	3	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	4	.	2	2	.
" 3	35,900	7·3	.	5	.	.	.	2	.	.	.	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	3	.	1	3	.
Clontarf and Howth, No. 1, part of	5,800	18·0	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.
Coolock and Drumcondra, part of	14,300	10·9	.	3	.	.	2	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	3	.	.	.	1
Finglas and Glasnevin, part of	11,700	13·4	.	3	.	.	1	1	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.
South City, No. 1	45,300	16·1	1·2	14	1	.	1	1	1	.	5	5	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	1	1	3	1	.	.	6	.	3	3	.
" 2	19,100	10·9	.	4	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	3	.	.	2	.
" 3	45,600	11·4	2·3	10	2	2	1	.	1	1	2	1	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	1	.	.	6	.	5	1	.
" 4	34,500	3·0	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	1	.	1	1	.
New Kilmainham	10,900	23·9	.	5	1	.	1	.	.	.	2	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	1	.	.	.	2	.	.	2	.
Urban Districts. Rathmines and Rathgar	41,500	21·4	1·3	17	2	1	1	.	1	3	3	6	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	2	.	.	1	3	.	.	.	10	.	6	4	1
Pembroke	31,100	10·1	.	6	2	.	.	.	.	1	1	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	1	4	1	2	.	.
Blackrock	9,900	15·8	.	3	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	1	.	.
Dún Laoghaire	17,500	14·9	.	5	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	2	.	1	.	.
Total City of Dublin	327,000	13·1	0·8	82	8	3	7	6	4	6	26	22	1	.	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	6	1	9	5	11	2	.	.	45	.	22	17	2
Total Urban Districts	100,000	16·2	0·5	31	4	1	1	.	1	6	5	13	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	4	.	1	3	3	.	.	1	18	1	10	4	1
Total Dublin Registration Area	427,000	13·8	0·7	113	12	4	8	6	5	12	31	35	1	.	.	1	1	1	.	.	.	10	1	10	8	14	2	.	1	63	1	32	21	3
Deaths relating to residents of localities situated outside the Registration Area (not included in above)				8	1	.	.	.	3	3	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	1	6	.	8	.	.
CITY OF CORK.																																		
Cork City Districts. Cork Urban, No. 1	13,455	23·3	.	6	.	.	.	.	.	2	1	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	3	.	6	.	.
" 2	10,399	10·0	.	2	1	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.
" 3	9,793	16·0	5·3	3	1	.	1	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.
" 4	9,139	11·4	.	2	1	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	.	1
" 5	6,250	8·3	.	1	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.
" 6	11,581	13·5	4·5	3	2	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
" 7	16,056	19·5	.	6	.	.	1	.	.	1	1	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	4	.	2	.	.
Total City of Cork	76,673	15·6	1·4	23	5	3		1		4	4	6	.	.	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	4	4	1	2	1	.	.	.	9	.	11		1

* The populations given for the City of Cork and its component parts are those according to the Census of 1911. † See note (†) at foot of first page.

TABLE III.—Showing the NUMBER of CASES of INFECTIOUS DISEASES notified in the Dublin Registration Area (viz. :—the City of Dublin, and the Urban Districts of Rathmines and Rathgar, Pembroke, Blackrock and Dún Laoghaire), and in the Cities of Cork, Limerick, and Waterford, during the week ended 3rd June, 1922, and each of the preceding three weeks, as furnished by the respective Sanitary Authorities. A dash (—) denotes that the disease in question is not notifiable in the District.

Cities and Urban Districts.	Week ending	Enteric Fever.	Typhus.	Pyrexia—Continued Fever.	Relapsing Fever.	Small-pox.	Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Whooping-cough.	Diphtheria (including Membranous Croup).	Erysipelas.	Puerperal Fever.	Diarrhœal Diseases.	Dysentery.	Malaria.	Trench Fever.	Acute Primary Pneumonia and Acute Influenzal Pneumonia.	Cerebro-spinal Fever.	Acute Poliomyelitis.	Encephalitis Lethargica	Tuberculosis.	Total.
City of Dublin	May 13	1	.	.	.	.	—	7	—	2	1	.	—	.	.	.	3	.	.	—	19	33
	May 20	.	.	.	.	.	—	7	—	2	.	.	—	.	.	.	11	.	.	—	5	25
	May 27	4	.	.	.	.	—	4	—	11	2	.	—	.	.	.	9	.	.	—	11	41
	June 3	1	.	.	.	.	—	4	—	10	3	.	—	.	.	.	5	.	.	—	3	26
Rathmines & Rathgar Urban District	May 13	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	.
	May 20	.	.	.	.	.	—	1	—	1	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	2
	May 27	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	1	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	1
	June 3	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	.
Pembroke Urban District	May 13	.	.	.	.	.	4	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	4
	May 20	.	.	.	.	.	6	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	6
	May 27	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	2	3
	June 3	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	1
Blackrock Urban District	May 13	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.
	May 20	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.
	May 27	.	.	.	.	.	1	2	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	3
	June 3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.
Dún Laoghaire Urban District	May 13	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	1	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	1
	May 20	.	.	.	.	.	—	1	—	3	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	4
	May 27	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.
	June 3	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.
City of Cork	May 13	1	.	.	.	.	36	1	—	3	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	—	43
	May 20	.	.	.	.	.	31	1	—	6	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	—	38a
	May 27	1	.	.	.	.	21	.	—	7	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	—	29
	June 3	.	.	.	.	.	19	.	—	11	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	—	30
City of Limerick	May 13	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	1	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	1
	May 20	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	.
	May 27	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	.
	June 3	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	.
City of Waterford	May 13	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	.	.
	May 20	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	.	.
	May 27	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	.	.
	June 3	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	.	.

(*a*) Not including 2 cases of Varicella.

TABLE IV.—Showing the NUMBER of CASES of the undermentioned DISEASES treated in Dublin Hospitals during the week ended Saturday, 3rd June, 1922, with the number under treatment at the close of each of the last four weeks.

Diseases	No. of Cases in Hospital at close of week ended			Week ended 3rd June			
	May 13	May 20	May 27	No. admitted.	Discharged.	Died.	No. under treatment at close of week.
Enteric Fever, ...	7	7	8	1	3	1	5
Typhus, ...	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Small-pox, ...	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Measles, ...	60	63	55	11	27	2	37
Scarlet Fever, ...	50	46	39	11	10	1	39*
Diphtheria, ...	38	40	50	5	14	.	41
Pneumonia, ...	35	40	40	11	9	2	40

* Exclusive of 17 patients in "Beneavin," the Convalescent Home of Cork Street Fever Hospital.

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TWELVE TOWN DISTRICTS.

The Births and Deaths * registered in the Dublin Registration Area and in eleven provincial Urban Districts of the Irish Free State, with the annual rates per 1,000 of the population represented thereby, which, for the purposes of these Returns, is estimated at 662,256, are given in Table I. The deaths from all causes appertaining to the undermentioned areas for last week and for the past four weeks, respectively, were equal to the following annual rates per 1,000 of the population:—

Twelve Town Districts, 14·6 and 14·6; Dublin Registration Area, 14·0 and 14·4; Dublin City, 14·7 and 14·6; Cork, 15·6 and 17·3; Limerick, 14·9 and 15·2, and Waterford, 26·6 and 14·7.

The deaths* from certain epidemic diseases † registered in the 12 town districts during last week were equal to an annual rate of 0·9 per 1,000. Among the 23 deaths from all causes for Cork are 2 from measles, and one from diarrhœa and enteritis of a child under 2 years.

DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA.

In the Dublin Registration Area the total number of births registered during the week amounted to 205—100 boys and 105 girls—and the deaths to 131—61 males and 70 females.

The deaths registered, omitting the deaths (numbering 16) of persons admitted into public institutions from localities outside the Area, represent an annual rate of mortality of 14·0 per 1,000 of the population. During the twenty-three weeks ending with Saturday last, the death-rate averaged 21·6 and was 1·4 below the mean rate for the corresponding portions of the ten years 1912-21. The rate for all deaths registered during the twenty-three weeks was 23·2 and for the corresponding period of the preceding ten years 24·6.

Included in the 115 deaths appertaining to the Area are 5 from measles, 2 from whooping-cough, and 2 from diarrhœa and enteritis of children under 2 years. In the 3 preceding weeks; deaths from measles were 4, 5, and one; deaths from whooping-cough, one, 2, and one, and deaths from diarrhœa and enteritis of children under 2 years, 3, 2, and 2.

There were 8 deaths from pneumonia, comprising 4 from broncho-pneumonia, and 4 from pneumonia (not otherwise defined).

Tuberculous disease caused 18 deaths (including 14 from pulmonary tuberculosis, one from tuberculous meningitis, 2 from abdominal tuberculosis, and one from tuberculous adenitis), as against 23, 12, and 11 from all forms of tuberculous disease in the 3 weeks preceding.

Six deaths were caused by cancer, 13 by organic diseases of the heart, and 14 by bronchitis.

Three accidental deaths were registered, of which one was caused by burns and one by drowning, and 2 deaths were attributed to homicide.

Among deaths of infants under one year old, one was due to measles, one to tuberculous meningitis, one to convulsions, 3 to bronchitis, one to broncho-pneumonia, 2 to diarrhœa and enteritis, one to congenital malformation, 6 to premature birth, and 2 to congenital debility.

Thirty of the deaths registered during the week, appertaining to the Area, were those of children under 5 years of age, 19 being infants under one year, of whom 12 were under one month old, and 31 deaths were those of persons aged 65 and upwards, of whom 27 were 70 years of age or over.

Of the 115 deaths recorded, 40 occurred in hospitals and other public institutions.

ENGLAND AND SCOTLAND.

The mortality among civilians for the week ended 10th June, in 105 large English towns (including London in which the rate was 10·1) was equal to an average annual death rate of 10·0 per 1,000 of the estimated civil population.

The average death-rate for 16 principal towns of Scotland was 13·5 per 1,000 persons living, the rate for Glasgow being 12·5 and for Edinburgh 15·0.

* Exclusive of the deaths of persons admitted into public institutions from without the respective districts.
† Enteric fever, typhus, small-pox, measles, scarlet fever, whooping-cough, diphtheria, dysentery, and diarrhœal diseases.

TABLE I.—BIRTHS and DEATHS registered during the week ended Saturday, 10th June, 1922, in the DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA, in each of the under-mentioned 11 CITIES OR URBAN DISTRICTS, and in BELFAST and LONDONDERRY CITIES (*exclusive of Births and Deaths in Public Institutions relating to Persons admitted from other Districts*), the Number of Deaths from some of the PRINCIPAL CAUSES, and the Number of Uncertified Deaths with the Temperature and Rainfall for the week; also particulars regarding Births, Deaths and Meteorology in London, Edinburgh, and Glasgow.

TOWNS AND DISTRICTS.	Population. Total (a)	Population. Persons to an Acre.	Annual Rate per 1,000 Persons Represented by: Births.	Deaths. From all Causes.	Deaths. From certain Epidemic Diseases. (b)	Registration—Week ended Saturday, 10th June, 1922. Numbers Registered. Births. Total Number.	Deaths. Total Number.	Under 1 year of Age.	At 65 years and upwards.	Caused by: Enteric Fever.	Typhus.	Small-pox.	Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Whooping-cough.	Diphtheria.	Dysentery.	Influenza.	Tuberculosis. Pulmonary.	Tuberculosis. Other Forms.	Cancer.	Diseases of the Respiratory System. Pneumonia.	Diseases of the Respiratory System. Other.	Diarrhœa and Enteritis of children under 2 years of age.	Diarrhœa, 2 years of age and upwards.	Violence.	Inquest Cases.	No. of Deaths in Public Institutions.	Number of Uncertified Deaths.	Meteorology. (c) Week ended 10th June, 1922. Air Temperature. Absolute Highest.	Absolute Lowest.	Mean Maximum (A).	Mean Minimum (B).	Mean of (A) and (B).	Rainfall in Inches.
COLS.	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)	(14)	(15)	(16)	(17)	(18)	(19)	(20)	(21)	(22)	(23)	(24)	(25)	(26)	(27)	(28)	(29)	(30)	(31)	(32)	(33)	(34)	(35)
TOTAL OF 12 TOWN DISTRICTS ...	662,256	18·9	25·9	14·6	0·9	329	186	25	49	.	.	.	7	.	2	.	.	1	22	7	11	13	18	3	.	7	6	65	6	.	.	.	.	.	.
DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA	427,000	30·5	23·0	14·0	1·1	188	115	19	31	.	.	.	5	.	2	.	.	.	14	4	6	8	14	2	.	5	4	40	2	(d)70·0	38·3	64·1	44·6	54·4	0·11
Urban Districts. CITY OF DUBLIN	327,000	40·0	23·9	14·7	1·1	150	92	15	26	.	.	.	4	.	1	.	.	.	8	3	5	7	11	2	.	5	4	34	1	(e)66·0 (f)70·0	46·0 39·0	63·3 64·3	51·3 47·3	57·3 55·8	0·15 0·11
Urban Districts. RATHMINES and RATHGAR ...	41,500	24·2	15·1	11·3	1·3	12	9	.	3	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	3	.	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Urban Districts. PEMBROKE ...	31,100	19·8	26·8	13·4	.	16	8	3	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	1	1	.	2	.	.	.	.	3	1	.	.	.	.	.	.
Urban Districts. BLACKROCK ...	9,900	9·1	15·8	5·3	.	3	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Urban Districts. DÚN LAOGHAIRE	17,500	12·0	20·9	14·9	3·0	7	5	1	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	67	46	63·4	49·7	56·5	0·30
Urban Districts. CORK	76,673	28·6	35·4	15·6	2·0	52	23	3	7	.	.	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	2	2	1	2	1	1	.	1	1	9	2	70	44	63·9	51·3	57·6	0·51
Urban Districts. LIMERICK ...	38,518	16·1	55·5	14·9	.	41	11	2	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	1	2	2	.	.	.	.	4	1	.	.	.	.	.	.
Urban Districts. WATERFORD ...	27,464	19·1	19·0	26·6	.	10	14	1	4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	8	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Urban Districts. GALWAY	13,255	2.5	The annual rates represented by the numbers of births and deaths registered for these urban districts will be shown in the Quarterly Summary of the Weekly Returns.			7	3	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	77	44	68	49	58·5	0·50
Urban Districts. DUNDALK ...	13,128	9·5				5	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	1	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Urban Districts. DROGHEDA ...	12,501	8·4				7	3	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Urban Districts. WEXFORD ...	11,531	22·8				7	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Urban Districts. SLIGO	11,163	2·8				2	2	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	70	38	64	45	54·5	0·22
Urban Districts. KILKENNY ...	10,514	11·4				2	4	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	70	35	65·7	46·4	56·1	0·45
Urban Districts. TRALEE ...	10,300	17·4				3	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Urban Districts. CLONMEL	10,209	4·8				5	5	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
BELFAST CITY	425,000	24·3	29·3	13·0	0·6	239	106	15	30	.	.	.	1	.	.	1	.	1	12	2	6	6	12	2	1	15	8	31	2	73·0	51·0	67·8	53·9	60·8	0·17
LONDONDERRY CITY ...	46,000	36·3	15·9	10·2	.	14	9	2	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	2	1	2	1	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
LONDON	4,476,238	—	—	10·1	—	1,823	878	97	263	.	.	.	40	3	17	17	—	—	76	11	120	77	32	17	2	36	79	475	1	79	44	73·9	48·6	61·3	0·00
EDINBURGH	420,486	—	—	15·0	1·1	190	121	13	53	.	.	.	8	.	.	.	—	.	—	—	—	9		1	—	3	—	—	—	76·0	41·0	64·6	47·0	55·8	0·01
GLASGOW	1,037,845	—	—	12·5	0·9	584	249	50	55	.	.	.	5	.	5	.	—	.	—	—	—	44		7	—	7	—	—	—	75·1	47·1	64·4	51·1	57·8	0·11

(a) According to the Census of 1911, but in the cases of the Dublin Registration Area and its component parts, the population given is that estimated to the middle of 1922. The estimate shown for London relates to the civil population in 1921. The population for Glasgow and Edinburgh is that provisionally estimated to the middle of 1922. (b) See note (†) at foot of first page. (c) The observations shown for Cork were taken at Roche's Point, and those for Sligo at Markree. (d) Observations at Ordnance Survey Office, Phœnix Park. (e) Observations by Sir John Moore, taken at Fitzwilliam Square. (f) Observations taken at the Botanic Gardens, Glasnevin.

TABLE II.—Showing for the WEEK ENDED 10TH JUNE, 1922, the number of DEATHS of Residents of the several REGISTRARS' DISTRICTS in the DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA, and in the CITY OF CORK, the annual Rate per 1,000 of the Population of the respective Districts represented thereby, and by the Deaths from the principal Epidemic Diseases†; with the mortality from some of the principal causes; also the Deaths at certain age-periods, and the number of Uncertified Deaths, *the Deaths in Public Institutions being assigned to the Districts from which the deceased were admitted.*

WEEK ENDED SATURDAY 10TH JUNE, 1922.

	REGISTRARS' DISTRICTS, &c.	Estimated Population middle of 1922.*	Annual Rate of Mortality per 1,000 Living represented by Deaths. From all causes	From certain Epidemic Diseases†	Total Deaths	Under 1 year.	1 and under 2.	2 and under 5.	5 and under 15.	15 and under 25.	25 and under 45.	45 and under 65.	65 and upwards.	Enteric Fever.	Typhus.	Small-pox.	Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Whooping-cough.	Diphtheria.	Dysentery.	Influenza.	Tuberculosis. Pulmonary.	Tuberculosis. Other Forms.	Cancer.	Diseases of Respiratory System. Pneumonia.	Diseases of Respiratory System. Other.	Diarrhœa and Enteritis of Children under 2 years.	Diarrhœa, 2 years and upwards.	Violence.	Other Causes.	Inquest Cases.	In Institutions. In Hospitals, Prisons and Lunatic Asylums.	In Institutions. In Workhouse Hospitals.	Number of Uncertified Deaths.
						DEATHS.								CAUSED BY																						
	Cols.	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)	(14)	(15)	(16)	(17)	(18)	(19)	(20)	(21)	(22)	(23)	(24)	(25)	(26)	(27)	(28)	(29)	(30)	(31)	(32)	(33)	(34)
	DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA.																																			
Dublin City Districts.	North City, No. 1, E.	31,600	13·2	3·3	8	2	.	.	1	.	.	2	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	1	.	2	.	.	3	.	.	1	.
	" 1, W.	43,300	14·5	1·2	12	1	2	.	1	1	2	3	2	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	1	.	.	.	1	7	1	2	3	.
	" 2	29,000	10·8	.	6	2	1	.	.	.	.	1	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	2	.	.	.	2	.	1	1	.
	" 3	35,900	17·4	.	12	2	.	.	1	2	1	3	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	3	8	2	3	1	.
	Clontarf and Howth, No. 1, part of	5,800	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
	Coolock and Drumcondra, part of	14,300	7·3	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	.	.
	Finglas and Glasnevin, part of	11,700	13·4	.	3	1	1	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	2	.	1	.	.
	South City, No. 1	45,300	18·4	2·3	16	3	1	1	2	1	2	.	6	.	.	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	1	3	1	.	4	.	.	.	5	.	2	1	.
	" 2	19,100	10·9	.	4	.	.	.	.	.	3	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	2	.
	" 3	45,600	13·7	2·3	12	1	2	.	.	.	2	3	4	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	1	.	.	1	1	.	.	.	7	.	3	2	.
	" 4	34,500	21·2	.	14	3	.	.	.	1	1	5	4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	1	.	3	.	.	.	8	.	5	4	1
	New Kilmainham	10,900	14·4	.	3	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	1	1	1	1	.	.
Urban Districts.	Rathmines and Rathgar	41,500	11·3	1·3	9	.	1	1	1	.	2	1	3	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	3	.	.	1	1	.	.	.	3	.	1	.	.
	Pembroke	31,100	13·4	.	8	3	.	.	.	.	1	2	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	1	1	.	2	.	.	.	2	.	1	2	1
	Blackrock	9,900	5·3	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.
	Dún Laoghaire	17,500	14·9	3·0	5	1	1	.	.	.	.	3	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	4	.	1	.	.
	Total City of Dublin	327,000	14·7	1·1	92	15	7	1	5	5	14	19	26	.	.	.	4	.	1	.	.	.	8	3	5	7	11	2	.	5	46	4	19	15	1
	Total Urban Districts	100,000	12·0	1·0	23	4	2	1	1	.	4	6	5	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	6	1	1	1	3	.	.	.	9	.	4	2	1
	Total Dublin Registration Area	427,000	14·0	1·1	115	19	9	2	6	5	18	25	31	.	.	.	5	.	2	.	.	.	14	4	6	8	14	2	.	5	55	4	23	17	2
	Deaths relating to residents of localities situated outside the Registration Area (not included in above)				16	1	.	1	2	1	6	3	2	.	.	.	1	.	.	1	.	.	.	2	.	2	.	.	.	.	10	.	16	.	.
	CITY OF CORK.																																			
Cork City Districts	Cork Urban, No. 1	13,455	19·4	.	5	.		1	.		2	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	1	.	.	.	1	2	1	2	.	.
	" 2	10,399	20·1	5·0	4	.		2	.		.	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	1	.	.	1	.	1	.	.
	" 3	9,793	16·0	5·3	3	1		.	.		1	.	1	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	3	.	.
	" 4	9,139	11·4	.	2	.		.	1		.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.
	" 5	6,250	8·3	.	1	.		.	.		.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	1
	" 6	11,581	18·0	.	4	1		.	1		1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	3	.	1	.	.
	" 7	16,056	13·0	3·2	4	1		2	.		.	.	1	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	2	.	1	1	.
	Total City of Cork	76,673	15·6	2·0	23	3		5	2		4	2	7	.	.	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	2	2	1	2	1	1	.	1	11	1	9		2

* The populations given for the City of Cork and its component parts are those according to the Census of 1911.

† See note (†) at foot of first page.

TABLE III.—Showing the NUMBER of CASES of INFECTIOUS DISEASES notified in the Dublin Registration Area (viz. :—the City of Dublin, and the Urban Districts of Rathmines and Rathgar, Pembroke, Blackrock and Dún Laoghaire), and in the Cities of Cork, Limerick, and Waterford, during the week ended 10th June, 1922, and each of the preceding three weeks, as furnished by the respective Sanitary Authorities. A dash (—) denotes that the disease in question is not notifiable in the District.

Cities and Urban Districts.	Week ending	Enteric Fever.	Typhus.	Pyrexia—Continued Fever.	Relapsing Fever.	Small-pox.	Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Whooping-cough.	Diphtheria (including Membranous Croup).	Erysipelas.	Puerperal Fever.	Diarrhœal Diseases.	Dysentery.	Malaria.	Trench Fever.	Acute Primary Pneumonia and Acute Influenzal Pneumonia.	Cerebro-spinal Fever.	Acute Poliomyelitis.	Encephalitis Lethargica	Tuberculosis.	Total.
City of Dublin	May 20	.	.	.	.	.	—	7	—	2	.	.	—	.	.	.	11	.	.	—	5	25
	May 27	4	.	.	.	.	—	4	—	11	2	.	—	.	.	.	9	.	.	—	11	41
	June 3	1	.	.	.	.	—	4	—	10	3	.	—	.	.	.	5	.	.	—	3	26
	June 10	.	.	.	.	.	—	12	—	3	1	.	—	.	.	.	3	.	.	—	6	25
Rathmines & Rathgar Urban District	May 20	.	.	.	.	.	—	1	—	1	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	2
	May 27	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	1	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	1
	June 3	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	.
	June 10	.	.	.	.	.	—	1	—	2	.	.	—	.	.	.	2	.	.	—	—	5
Pembroke Urban District	May 20	.	.	.	.	.	6	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	6
	May 27	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	2	3
	June 3	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	1
	June 10	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	2
Blackrock Urban District	May 20	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.
	May 27	.	.	.	.	.	1	2	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	3
	June 3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.
	June 10	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.
Dún Laoghaire Urban District	May 20	.	.	.	.	.	—	1	—	3	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	4
	May 27	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.
	June 3	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.
	June 10	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.
City of Cork	May 20	.	.	.	.	.	31	1	—	6	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	—	38a
	May 27	1	.	.	.	.	21	.	—	7	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	—	29
	June 3	.	.	.	.	.	19	.	—	11	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	—	30
	June 10	.	.	.	.	.	4	.	—	5	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	—	10
City of Limerick	May 20	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	.
	May 27	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	.
	June 3	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	.
	June 10	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	.
City of Waterford	May 20	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	.	.
	May 27	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	.	.
	June 3	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	.	.
	June 10	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	.	.

(*a*) Not including 2 cases of Varicella.

TABLE IV.—Showing the NUMBER of CASES of the undermentioned DISEASES treated in Dublin Hospitals during the week ended Saturday, 10th June, 1922, with the number under treatment at the close of each of the last four weeks.

Diseases	No. of Cases in Hospital at close of week ended			Week ended 10th June.			
	May 20	May 27	June 3	No. admitted.	Dis-charged.	Died.	No. under treatment at close of week.
Enteric Fever, ...	7	8	5	.	.	.	5
Typhus, ...	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Small-pox, ...	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Measles, ...	63	55	37	7	12	1	31
Scarlet Fever, ...	46	39	39	17	7	.	49*
Diphtheria, ...	40	50	41	7	4	.	44
Pneumonia, ...	40	40	40	7	7	1	39

* Exclusive of 18 patients in "Beneavin," the Convalescent Home of Cork Street Fever Hospital.

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CONSISTING OF THE CITY OF DUBLIN AND THE URBAN DISTRICTS OF RATHMINES AND RATHGAR, PEMBROKE, BLACKROCK, AND DÚN LAOGHAIRE;

AND IN

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TWELVE TOWN DISTRICTS.

The Births and Deaths * registered in the Dublin Registration Area and in eleven provincial Urban Districts of the Irish Free State, with the annual rates per 1,000 of the population represented thereby, which, for the purposes of these Returns, is estimated at 662,256, are given in Table I. The deaths from all causes appertaining to the undermentioned areas for last week and for the past four weeks, respectively, were equal to the following annual rates per 1,000 of the population:—

Twelve Town Districts, 14·2 and 14·4; Dublin Registration Area, 13·8 and 14·0; Dublin City, 15·0 and 14·3; Cork, 18·4 and 16·5; Limerick, 6·8 and 13·9, and Waterford, 9·5 and 14·3.

The deaths* from certain epidemic diseases † registered in the 12 town districts during last week were equal to an annual rate of 1·0 per 1,000. Among the 27 deaths from all causes for Cork are 2 from measles, 2 from diphtheria, and one from diarrhœa and enteritis of a child under 2 years, and the 7 deaths from all causes for Galway include 2 from enteric fever.

DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA.

In the Dublin Registration Area the total number of births registered during the week amounted to 238—124 boys and 114 girls—and the deaths to 132—75 males and 57 females.

The deaths registered, omitting the deaths (numbering 19) of persons admitted into public institutions from localities outside the Area, represent an annual rate of mortaliy of 13·8 per 1,000 of the population. During the twenty-four weeks ending with Saturday last, the death-rate averaged 21·3 and was 1·5 below the mean rate for the corresponding portions of the ten years 1912-1921. The rate for all deaths registered during the twenty-four weeks was 22·9 and for the corresponding period of the preceding ten years 24·4.

Included in the 113 deaths appertaining to the Area are 2 from measles, 2 from whooping-cough, and one from diarrhœa and enteritis of a child under 2 years. In the 3 preceding weeks, deaths from measles were 5, one, and 5; deaths from whooping-cough, 2, one, and 2, and deaths from diarrhœa and enteritis of children under 2 years, 2, 2, and 2.

There were 10 deaths from pneumonia, comprising 6 from broncho-pneumonia, and 4 from lobar pneumonia.

Tuberculous disease caused 28 deaths (including 21 from pulmonary tuberculosis, 5 from tuberculous meningitis, and 2 from abdominal tuberculosis), as against 12, 11, and 18 from all forms of tuberculous disease in the 3 weeks preceding.

Nine deaths were caused by cancer, 15 by organic diseases of the heart, and 7 by bronchitis.

One death attributed to accidental drowning was registered.

Among deaths of infants under one year old, one was due to measles, one to whooping-cough, one to tuberculous meningitis, one to abdominal tuberculosis, one to convulsions, one to bronchitis, 4 to broncho-pneumonia, one to diarrhœa and enteritis, 2 to premature birth, and one to congenital debility.

Twenty-eight of the deaths registered during the week, appertaining to the Area, were those of children under 5 years of age, 17 being infants under one year, of whom 5 were under one month old, and 23 deaths were those of persons aged 65 and upwards, of whom 18 were 70 years of age or over.

Of the 113 deaths recorded, 54 occurred in hospitals and other public institutions.

ENGLAND AND SCOTLAND.

The mortality among civilians for the week ended 17th June, in 105 large English towns (including London in which the rate was 9·2) was equal to an average annual death rate of 9·9 per 1,000 of the estimated civil population.

The average death-rate for 16 principal towns of Scotland was 13·0 per 1,000 persons living, the rate for Glasgow being 12·0 and for Edinburgh 15·6.

* Exclusive of the deaths of persons admitted into public institutions from without the respective districts.
† Enteric fever, typhus, small-pox, measles, scarlet fever, whooping-cough, diphtheria, dysentery, and diarrhœal diseases.

TABLE I.—BIRTHS and DEATHS registered during the week ended Saturday, 17th June, 1922, in the DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA, in each of the under-mentioned 11 CITIES OR URBAN DISTRICTS, and in BELFAST and LONDONDERRY CITIES (*exclusive of Births and Deaths in Public Institutions relating to Persons admitted from other Districts*), the Number of Deaths from some of the PRINCIPAL CAUSES, and the Number of Uncertified Deaths with the Temperature and Rainfall for the week: also particulars regarding Births, Deaths and Meteorology in London, Edinburgh, and Glasgow.

TOWNS AND DISTRICTS.	POPULATION. Total (a)	Persons to an Acre.	Annual Rate per 1,000 Persons Represented by BIRTHS.	DEATHS. From all Causes.	DEATHS. From certain Epidemic Diseases. (b)	BIRTHS Total Number	DEATHS. Total Number	Under 1 year of Age.	At 65 years and upwards.	Enteric Fever.	Typhus.	Small-pox.	Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Whooping-cough.	Diphtheria.	Dysentery.	Influenza.	Tuberculosis. Pulmonary.	Tuberculosis. Other Forms.	Cancer.	Diseases of the Respiratory System. Pneumonia.	Diseases of the Respiratory System. Other.	Diarrhœa and Enteritis of children under 2 years of age.	Diarrhœa, 2 years of age and upwards.	Violence.	Inquest Cases.	No. of Deaths in Public Institutions.	Number of Uncertified Deaths.	Meteorology (c) Week ended 17th June, 1922. Air Temperature. Absolute Highest.	Absolute Lowest.	Mean Maximum (A).	Mean Minimum (B).	Mean of (A) and (B).	Rainfall in Inches.
COLS.	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)	(14)	(15)	(16)	(17)	(18)	(19)	(20)	(21)	(22)	(23)	(24)	(25)	(26)	(27)	(28)	(29)	(30)	(31)	(32)	(33)	(34)	(35)
TOTAL OF 12 TOWN DISTRICTS ...	662,256	18·9	26·1	14·2	1·0	332	180	24	32	2	.	.	4	.	2	2	.	.	31	8	12	15	11	2	1	3	5	82	2	.	.	.	.	.	.
DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA	427,000	30·5	27·7	13·8	0·6	227	113	17	23	.	.	.	2	.	2	.	.	.	21	7	9	10	8	1	.	1	4	54	.	(d)73·3	36·0	64·1	44·3	54·2	0·21
Urban Districts. CITY OF DUBLIN	327,000	40·0	30·6	15·0	0·8	192	94	15	15	.	.	.	2	.	2	.	.	.	19	5	7	10	7	1	.	1	4	45	.	(e)71·0 (f)74·4	43·7 39·8	63·2 63·9	49·7 46·5	56·5 55·2	0·20 0·17
Urban Districts. RATHMINES and RATHGAR ...	41,500	24·2	12·6	10·1	.	10	8	1	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Urban Districts. PEMBROKE ...	31,100	19·8	20·1	15·0	.	12	3	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Urban Districts. BLACKROCK ...	9,900	9·1	15·8	15·8	.	3	3	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Urban Districts. DÚN LAOGHAIRE ...	17,500	12·0	29·8	14·9	.	10	5	.	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	5	.	73	44	67·2	48·1	57·6	0·25
Urban Districts. CORK	76,673	28·6	25·8	18·4	3·4	38	27	2	2	.	.	.	2	.	.	2	.	.	6	1	1	3	.	1	.	2	1	15	.	63	44	61·0	49·7	55·4	0·24
Urban Districts. LIMERICK ...	38,518	16·1	23·0	6·8	.	17	5	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Urban Districts. WATERFORD ...	27,464	19·1	19·0	9·5	.	10	5	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.
Urban Districts. GALWAY	13,255	2.5	The annual rates represented by the numbers of births and deaths registered for these urban districts will be shown in the Quarterly Summary of the Weekly Returns.			4	7	1	2	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	5	.	67	40	61·5	47·0	54·3	0·36
Urban Districts. DUNDALK ...	13,128	9·5				4	2	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Urban Districts. DROGHEDA ...	12,501	8·4				7	2	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.
Urban Districts. WEXFORD ...	11,531	22·8				9	6	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Urban Districts. SLIGO	11,163	2·8				3	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	68	35	61	46	53·5	0·77
Urban Districts. KILKENNY ...	10,514	11·4				10	5	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	4	.	69	40	64·1	47·4	55·7	0·19
Urban Districts. TRALEE ...	10,300	17·4				1	2	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Urban Districts. CLONMEL	10,209	4·8				2	5	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
BELFAST CITY	425,000	24·3	31·9	12·6	0·5	260	103	15	20	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	1	8	6	8	5	7	3	.	15	15	42	.	70·0	52·2	67·7	54·1	60·9	0·22
LONDONDERRY CITY ...	46,000	36·3	29·5	11·3	1.1	26	10	1	2	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	2	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
LONDON	4,476,238	—	—	9·2	—	3,056	795	104	249	2	.	.	18	6	12	22	—	—	66	17	85	59	36	37	1	40	61	410	1	79	46	68·1	48·9	58·5	0·58
EDINBURGH	420,486	—	—	15·6	1·7	191	126	12	43	1	.	.	6	.	1	3	—	.	—	—	—	15		3	—	6	—	—	—	67·0	41·0	59·7	44·9	52·3	0·46
GLASGOW	1,037,845	—	—	12·0	0·6	543	238g	40	58	.	.	.	5	.	1	1	—	1	—	—	—	35		4	—	10	—	—	—	67·4	42·1	59·4	46·6	53·0	0·31

(a) According to the Census of 1911, but in the cases of the Dublin Registration Area and its component parts, the population given is that estimated to the middle of 1922. The estimate shown for London relates to the civil population in 1921. The population for Glasgow and Edinburgh is that provisionally estimated to the middle of 1922. (b) See note (†) at foot of first page. (c) The observations shown for Cork were taken at Roche's Point, and those for Sligo at Markree. (d) Observations at Ordnance Survey Office, Phœnix Park. (e) Observations by Sir John Moore, taken at Fitzwilliam Square. (f) Observations taken at the Botanic Gardens, Glasnevin. (g) Including one death from cerebro-spinal meningitis.

TABLE II.—Showing for the WEEK ENDED 17TH JUNE, 1922, the number of DEATHS of Residents of the several REGISTRARS' DISTRICTS in the DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA, and in the CITY OF CORK, distributed per 1,000 of the Population of the respective Districts represented thereby, and by the Deaths from the principal Epidemic Diseases†; with the mortality from some of the principal causes; also the Deaths at certain age-periods, and the number of Uncertified Deaths, *the Deaths in Public Institutions being assigned to the Districts from which the deceased were admitted.*

WEEK ENDED SATURDAY 17TH JUNE, 1922.

	REGISTRARS' DISTRICTS, &c.	Estimated Population middle of 1922.*	Annual Rate of Mortality per 1,000 Living represented by Deaths. From all causes	From certain Epidemic Diseases†	Total Deaths	Under 1 year.	1 and under 2.	2 and under 5.	5 and under 15.	15 and under 25.	25 and under 45.	45 and under 65.	65 and upwards.	Enteric Fever.	Typhus.	Small-pox.	Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Whooping-cough.	Diphtheria.	Dysentery.	Influenza.	Tuberculosis. Pulmonary.	Tuberculosis. Other Forms.	Cancer.	Diseases of Respiratory System. Pneumonia.	Diseases of Respiratory System. Other.	Diarrhœa and Enteritis of Children under 2 years.	Diarrhœa, 2 years and upwards.	Violence.	Other Causes.	Inquest Cases.	In Institutions. In Hospitals, Prisons and Lunatic Asylums.	In Institutions. In Workhouse Hospitals.	Number of Uncertified Deaths.
	Cols.	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)	(14)	(15)	(16)	(17)	(18)	(19)	(20)	(21)	(22)	(23)	(24)	(25)	(26)	(27)	(28)	(29)	(30)	(31)	(32)	(33)	(34)
	DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA.																																		
Dublin City Districts.	North City, No. 1, E.	31,600	13·2	1·7	8	1	.	1	.	.	2	4	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	4	1	3	4	.
	" 1, W.	43,300	9·6	.	8	3	1	.	.	.	.	4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	3	.	.	3	1	.	.	.	1	.	3	.	.
	" 2	29,000	23·4	1·8	13	2	1	1	2	2	1	4	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	5	2	2	.	.	.	.	1	2	1	3	3	.
	" 3	35,900	10·2	.	7	.	.	.	2	.	1	1	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	5	.	1	2	.
	Clontarf and Howth, No. 1, part of	5,800	36·0	.	4	.	1	.	1	.	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	1	.	.	.	1	.	.	1	.
	Coolock and Drumcondra, part of	14,300	21·9	.	6	1	.	.	1	1	1	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	4	1	3	.	.
	Finglas and Glasnevin, part of	11,700	4·5	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.
	South City, No. 1	45,300	18·4	.	16	2	.	1	1	2	5	3	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	5	.	2	1	1	.	.	.	7	1	5	4	.
	" 2	19,100	10·9	5·5	4	.	2	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	2	1	.
	" 3	45,600	24·0	1·1	21	4	1	1	1	1	.	7	6	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	2	3	3	1	.	.	10	.	4	4	.
	" 4	34,500	3·0	.	2	1	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	1	.	.
	New Kilmainham	10,900	19·1	.	4	.	.	.	.	1	.	2	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	3	.	1	.	.
Urban Districts.	Rathmines and Rathgar	41,500	10·1	.	8	1	.	.	1	.	1	2	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	1	.	1	.	.	.	4	.	2	.	.
	Pembroke	31,100	5·0	.	3	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	3	.	1	.	.
	Blackrock	9,900	15·8	.	3	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	1	.
	Dún Laoghaire	17,500	14·9	.	5	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	4	.	1	4	.
	Total City of Dublin	327,000	15·0	0·8	94	15	6	4	9	7	10	28	15	.	.	.	2	.	2	.	.	.	19	5	7	10	7	1	.	1	40	4	26	19	.
	Total Urban Districts	100,000	9·9	.	19	2	.	1	1	1	1	5	8	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	2	2	.	1	.	.	.	12	.	4	5	.
	Total Dublin Registration Area	427,000	13·8	0·6	113	17	6	5	10	8	11	33	23	.	.	.	2	.	2	.	.	.	21	7	9	10	8	1	.	1	52	4	30	24	.
	Deaths relating to residents of localities situated outside the Registration Area (not included in above)				19	5	2	1	.	1	5	3	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	1	2	1	.	.	.	.	2	12	1	19	.	.
	CITY OF CORK.																																		
Cork City Districts	Cork Urban, No. 1	13,455	15·5	.	4	.		1		1	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	1	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	4	.
	" 2	10,399	35·1	15·0	7	.		2		2	1	2	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	3	1	4	.
	" 3	9,793	16·0	5·3	3	.		2		.	.	1	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.
	" 4	9,139	5·7	.	1	.		.		.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.
	" 5	6,250	25·0	.	3	.		2		.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	.
	" 6	11,581	22·5	4·5	5	1		1		1	.	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	3	.	3	.
	" 7	16,056	13·0	.	4	1		.		.	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	.
	Total City of Cork	76,673	18·4	3·4	27	2		8		4	6	5	2	.	.	.	2	.	.	2	.	.	6	1	1	3	.	1	.	2	9	1	15	.	.

* The populations given for the City of Cork and its component parts are those according to the Census of 1911.

† See note (†) at foot of first page.

TABLE III.—Showing the NUMBER of CASES of INFECTIOUS DISEASES notified in the Dublin Registration Area (viz. :—the City of Dublin, and the Urban Districts of Rathmines and Rathgar, Pembroke, Blackrock and Dún Laoghaire), and in the Cities of Cork, Limerick, and Waterford, during the week ended 17th June, 1922, and each of the preceding three weeks, as furnished by the respective Sanitary Authorities. A dash (—) denotes that the disease in question is not notifiable in the District.

Cities and Urban Districts.	Week ending	Enteric Fever.	Typhus.	Pyrexia—Continued Fever.	Relapsing Fever.	Small-pox.	Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Whooping-cough.	Diphtheria (including Membranous Croup).	Erysipelas.	Puerperal Fever.	Diarrhœal Diseases.	Dysentery.	Malaria.	Trench Fever.	Acute Primary Pneumonia and Acute Influenzal Pneumonia.	Cerebro-spinal Fever	Acute Poliomyelitis.	Encephalitis Lethargica	Tuberculosis.	Total.
City of Dublin	May 27	4	.	.	.	.	—	4	—	11	2	.	—	.	.	.	9	.	.	—	11	41
	June 3	1	.	.	.	.	—	4	—	10	3	.	—	.	.	.	5	.	.	—	3	26
	June 10	.	.	.	.	.	—	12	—	3	1	.	—	.	.	.	3	.	.	—	6	25
	June 17	.	.	.	.	.	—	8	—	.	1	.	—	.	.	.	4	.	.	—	14	27
Rathmines & Rathgar Urban District	May 27	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	1	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	1
	June 3	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	.
	June 10	.	.	.	.	.	—	1	—	2	.	.	—	.	.	.	2	.	.	—	—	5
	June 17	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	.
Pembroke Urban District	May 27	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	2	3
	June 3	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	1
	June 10	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	2
	June 17	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	2
Blackrock Urban District	May 27	.	.	.	.	.	1	2	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	3
	June 3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.
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City of Cork	May 27	1	.	.	.	.	21	.	—	7	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	—	29
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City of Limerick	May 27	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	.
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City of Waterford	May 27	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	.	.
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TABLE IV.—Showing the NUMBER of CASES of the undermentioned DISEASES treated in Dublin Hospitals during the week ended Saturday, 17th June, 1922, with the number under treatment at the close of each of the last four weeks.

Diseases	No. of Cases in Hospital at close of week ended			Week ended 17th June.			
	May 27	June 3	June 10	No. admitted.	Discharged.	Died.	No. under treatment at close of week.
Enteric Fever, ...	8	5	5	2	2	.	5
Typhus, ...	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Small-pox, ...	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Measles, ...	55	37	31	11	17	2	23
Scarlet Fever, ...	39	39	49	10	11	1	47*
Diphtheria, ...	50	41	44	.	5	1	38
Pneumonia, ...	40	40	39	11	8	1	41

* Exclusive of 15 patients in "Beneavin," the Convalescent Home of Cork Street Fever Hospital.

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TWELVE TOWN DISTRICTS.

The Births and Deaths * registered in the Dublin Registration Area and in eleven provincial Urban Districts of the Irish Free State, with the annual rates per 1,000 of the population represented thereby, which, for the purposes of these Returns, is estimated at 662,256, are given in Table I. The deaths from all causes appertaining to the undermentioned areas for last week and for the past four weeks, respectively, were equal to the following annual rates per 1,000 of the population:—

Twelve Town Districts, 13·3 and 14·0; Dublin Registration Area, 12·8 and 13·6; Dublin City, 14·0 and 14·2; Cork, 22·4 and 18·0; Limerick, 6·8 and 12·9, and Waterford, 9·5 and 13·3.

The deaths* from certain epidemic diseases † registered in the 12 town districts during last week were equal to an annual rate of 1·5 per 1,000. Among the 33 deaths from all causes for Cork are one from enteric fever, 3 from measles, 2 from diphtheria, and one from diarrhœa and enteritis of a child under 2 years. The 5 deaths from all causes for Waterford include one from enteric fever, and the only death recorded for Clonmel is one from measles.

DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA.

In the Dublin Registration Area the total number of births registered during the week amounted to 220—127 boys and 93 girls—and the deaths to 118—58 males and 60 females.

The deaths registered, omitting the deaths (numbering 13) of persons admitted into public institutions from localities outside the Area, represent an annual rate of mortality of 12·8 per 1,000 of the population. During the twenty-five weeks ending with Saturday last, the death-rate averaged 20·9 and was 1·6 below the mean rate for the corresponding portions of the ten years, 1912-1921. The rate for all deaths registered during the twenty-five weeks was 22·6 and for the corresponding period of the preceding ten years 24·1.

Included in the 105 deaths appertaining to the Area are 5 from measles, 2 from scarlet fever, one from whooping-cough, and 2 from diarrhœa and enteritis of children under 2 years. In the 3 preceding weeks, deaths from measles were one, 5, and 2; deaths from scarlet fever, one, 0, and 0; deaths from whooping-cough, one, 2, and 2, and deaths from diarrhœa and enteritis of children under 2 years, 2, 2, and one.

There were 11 deaths from pneumonia, comprising 5 from broncho-pneumonia, 2 from lobar pneumonia, and 4 from pneumonia (not otherwise defined).

Tuberculous disease caused 14 deaths (including 11 from pulmonary tuberculosis, 2 from tuberculous meningitis, and one from general tuberculosis), as against 11, 18, and 28 from all forms of tuberculous disease in the 3 weeks preceding.

Four deaths were caused by cancer, 15 by organic diseases of the heart, and 11 by bronchitis.

Four accidental deaths were registered, of which one was caused by drowning, and there was one case of homicide.

Among deaths of infants under one year old, 2 were due to measles, one to meningitis, 2 to bronchitis, 2 to broncho-pneumonia, one to pneumonia, one to diarrhœa and enteritis, 2 to congenital malformations, and 5 to premature birth.

Thirty of the deaths registered during the week, appertaining to the Area, were those of children under 5 years of age, 17 being infants under one year, of whom 6 were under one month old, and 19 deaths were those of persons aged 65 and upwards, of whom 13 were 70 years of age or over.

Of the 105 deaths recorded, 43 occurred in hospitals and other public institutions.

ENGLAND AND SCOTLAND.

The mortality among civilians for the week ended 24th June, in 105 large English towns (including London in which the rate was 9·7) was equal to an average annual death rate of 9·6 per 1,000 of the estimated civil population.

The average death-rate for 16 principal towns of Scotland was 11·3 per 1,000 persons living, the rate for Glasgow being 10.7 and for Edinburgh 12·4.

* Exclusive of the deaths of persons admitted into public institutions from without the respective districts.
† Enteric fever, typhus, small-pox, measles, scarlet fever, whooping-cough, diphtheria, dysentery, and diarrhœal diseases.

TABLE I.—BIRTHS and DEATHS registered during the week ended Saturday, 24th June, 1922, in the DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA, in each of the under-mentioned 11 CITIES OR URBAN DISTRICTS, and in BELFAST and LONDONDERRY CITIES (*exclusive of Births and Deaths in Public Institutions relating to Persons admitted from other Districts*), the Number of Deaths from some of the PRINCIPAL CAUSES, and the Number of Uncertified Deaths with the Temperature and Rainfall for the week; also particulars regarding Births, Deaths and Meteorology in London, Edinburgh, and Glasgow.

TOWNS AND DISTRICTS.	POPULATION. Total (a)	Persons to an Acre.	REGISTRATION—WEEK ENDED SATURDAY, 24TH JUNE, 1922. Annual Rate per 1,000 Persons Represented by BIRTHS.	DEATHS. From all Causes.	DEATHS. From certain Epidemic Diseases. (b)	NUMBERS REGISTERED. BIRTHS Total Number.	DEATHS. Total Number.	Under 1 year of Age.	At 65 years and upwards.	Caused by: Enteric Fever.	Typhus.	Small-pox.	Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Whooping-cough.	Diphtheria.	Dysentery.	Influenza.	Tuberculosis. Pulmonary.	Other Forms.	Cancer.	Diseases of the Respiratory System. Pneumonia.	Other.	Diarrhœa and Enteritis of children under 2 years of age.	Diarrhœa, 2 years of age and upwards.	Violence.	Inquest Cases.	No. of Deaths in Public Institutions.	Number of Uncertified Deaths.	METEOROLOGY. (c) WEEK ENDED 24TH JUNE, 1922. Air Temperature. Absolute Highest.	Absolute Lowest.	Mean Maximum (A).	Mean Minimum (B).	Mean of (A) and (B).	Rainfall in Inches.
COLS.	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)	(14)	(15)	(16)	(17)	(18)	(19)	(20)	(21)	(22)	(23)	(24)	(25)	(26)	(27)	(28)	(29)	(30)	(31)	(32)	(33)	(34)	(35)
TOTAL OF 12 TOWN DISTRICTS	662,256	18·9	24·6	13·3	1·5	313	169	29	28	2	.	.	9	2	1	2	.	.	16	5	9	16	15	3	.	7	6	75	10	.	.	.	.	.	.
DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA	427,000	30·5	24·2	12·8	1.2	198	105	17	19	.	.	.	5	2	1	.	.	.	11	3	4	11	12	2	.	5	4	43	4	(d)65·5	41·1	63·1	48·1	55·6	0·18
Urban Districts. CITY OF DUBLIN	327,000	40·0	25·4	14·0	1·6	159	88	17	13	.	.	.	5	2	1	.	.	.	11	3	3	9	12	2	.	4	3	37	4	(e)65·3 (f)63·0	46·1 44·0	62·8 64·6	51·4 50·2	57·1 57·4	0·12 0·25
Urban Districts. RATHMINES and RATHGAR	41,500	24·2	21·4	6·3	.	17	5	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Urban Districts. PEMBROKE	31,100	19·8	15·1	6·7	.	9	4	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Urban Districts. BLACKROCK	9,900	9·1	26·3	15·8	.	5	3	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Urban Districts. DÚN LAOGHAIRE	17,500	12·0	23.8	14·9	.	8	5	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	68	47	63·5	51·1	57·3	0·10
Urban Districts. CORK	76,673	28·6	32·6	22·4	4·8	48	33	10	1	1	.	.	3	.	.	2	.	.	2	2	2	2	.	1	.	2	2	16	5	66	49	62·1	52·1	57·1	0·08
Urban Districts. LIMERICK	38,518	16·1	14·9	6.8	.	11	5	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Urban Districts. WATERFORD	27,464	19·1	24·7	9·5	1.9	13	5	.	2	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Urban Districts. GALWAY	13,255	2.5	The annual rates			17	7	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	4	1	64	43	61	48	54·5	0·28
Urban Districts. DUNDALK	13,128	9·5	represented by the			3	3	1	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Urban Districts. DROGHEDA	12,501	8·4	numbers of births			4	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Urban Districts. WEXFORD	11,531	22·8	and deaths regis-			7	2	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Urban Districts. SLIGO	11,163	2·8	tered for these			6	2	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	2	.	66	40	60	48	54	1·21
Urban Districts. KILKENNY	10,514	11·4	urban districts will			.	4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	3	.	68	39	62·8	50·0	56·4	0·21
Urban Districts. TRALEE	10,300	17·4	be shown in the			3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Urban Districts. CLONMEL	10,209	4·8	Quarterly Summary of the Weekly Returns.			3	1	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
BELFAST CITY	425,000	24·3	21·0	13.4	0·5	171	109	17	22	.	.	.	1	.	.	1	.	.	12	4	11	5	12	2	.	12	9	32	1	67·2	49·8	64·5	51·8	58·2	0·71
LONDONDERRY CITY	46,000	36·3	39·7	13·6	1·1	35	12	3	3	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	1	1	.	3	1	.	.	1	.	2	1	.	.	.	.	.	.
LONDON	4,476,238	—	—	9.7	—	1,930	842	85	275	1	.	.	12	5	12	16	—	—	84	19	101	57	52	5	2	39	78	454	1	80	46	72·1	51·9	62·0	0·14
EDINBURGH	420,486	—	—	12.4	0.6	178	100	10	34	.	.	.	1	1	2	.	—	2	—	—	—	8		1	—	3	—	—	—	63.0	45.0	58.6	47.7	53.1	0.75
GLASGOW	1,037,845	—	—	10.7	0.8	552	212	33	59	.	.	.	5	.	3	1	—	1	—	—	—	28		6	—	11	—	—	—	60.8	45.8	58.2	48.5	53.4	0.92

(a) According to the Census of 1911, but in the cases of the Dublin Registration Area and its component parts, the population given is that estimated to the middle of 1922. The estimate shown for London relates to the civil population in 1921. The population for Glasgow and Edinburgh is that provisionally estimated to the middle of 1922. (b) See note (†) at foot of first page. (c) The observations shown for Cork were taken at Roche's Point, and those for Sligo at Markree. (d) Observations at Ordnance Survey Office, Phœnix Park. (e) Observations by Sir John Moore, taken at Fitzwilliam Square. (f) Observations taken at the Botanic Gardens, Glasnevin.

TABLE II.—Showing for the WEEK ENDED 24TH JUNE, 1922, the number of DEATHS of Residents of the several REGISTRARS' DISTRICTS in the DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA, and in the CITY OF CORK, the annual Rate per 1,000 of the Population of the respective Districts represented thereby, and by the Deaths from the principal Epidemic Diseases†; with the mortality from some of the principal causes; also the Deaths at certain age-periods, and the number of Uncertified Deaths, *the Deaths in Public Institutions being assigned to the Districts from which the deceased were admitted.*

WEEK ENDED SATURDAY 24TH JUNE, 1922.

REGISTRARS' DISTRICTS, &c.	Estimated Population middle of 1922.*	Annual Rate of Mortality per 1,000 Living represented by Deaths. From all causes	From certain Epidemic Diseases†	Total Deaths.	Deaths. Under 1 year.	1 and under 2.	2 and under 5.	5 and under 15.	15 and under 25.	25 and under 45.	45 and under 65.	65 and upwards.	Caused by Enteric Fever.	Typhus.	Small-pox.	Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Whooping-cough.	Diphtheria.	Dysentery.	Influenza.	Tuberculosis. Pulmonary.	Other Forms.	Cancer.	Diseases of Respiratory System. Pneumonia.	Other.	Diarrhœa and Enteritis of Children under 2 years.	Diarrhœa, 2 years and upwards.	Violence.	Other Causes.	Inquest Cases.	In Institutions. In Hospitals, Prisons and Lunatic Asylums.	In Workhouse Hospitals.	Number of Uncertified Deaths.
Cols.	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)	(14)	(15)	(16)	(17)	(18)	(19)	(20)	(21)	(22)	(23)	(24)	(25)	(26)	(27)	(28)	(29)	(30)	(31)	(32)	(33)	34)
DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA.																																		
Dublin City Districts. North City, No. 1, E.	31,600	13·2	3·3	8	2	2	1	1	.	.	1	1	.	.	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	.	.	4	.	2	1	.
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" 2	29,000	16·2	3·6	9	1	1	2	1	.	.	3	1	.	.	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	3	.	.	1	1	.	1	2	.
" 3	35,900	13·1	.	9	1	.	.	.	1	3	1	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	1	1	.	.	1	4	1	4	1	.
Clontarf and Howth, No. 1, part of	5,800	9·0	9·0	1	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Coolock and Drumcondra, part of	14,300	7·3	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	1	1
Finglas and Glasnevin, part of	11,700	8·9	.	2	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	.	.
South City, No. 1	45,300	15·0	5·8	13	3	1	.	2	.	1	5	1	.	.	.	2	.	1	.	.	.	3	.	1	2	.	2	.	.	2	.	3	1	1
" 2	19,100	16·4	.	6	1	.	.	.	1	2	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	1	3	1	2	1	.
" 3	45,600	12·6	.	11	3	.	.	1	.	2	3	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	4	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	6	.	3	2	2
" 4	34,500	13·6	.	9	1	1	2	1	.	2	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	3	.	.	.	.	4	.	2	2	.
New Kilmainham	10,900	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Urban Districts. Rathmines and Rathgar	41,500	6·3	.	5	.	.	.	.	.	2	1	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	4	1	3	.	.
Pembroke	31,100	6·7	.	4	.	.	1	.	.	.	1	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	3	.	.	.	.
Blackrock	9,900	15·8	.	3	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	1	.	.
Dún Laoghaire	17,500	14·9	.	5	.	.	.	.	.	2	2	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	4	.	2	.	.
Total City of Dublin	327,000	14·0	1·6	88	17	5	7	7	3	11	25	13	.	.	.	5	2	1	.	.	.	11	3	3	9	12	2	.	4	36	3	23	14	4
Total Urban Districts	100,000	8·9	.	17	.	.	1	1	.	5	4	6	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	2	.	.	.	1	13	1	6	.	.
Total Dublin Registration Area	427,000	12·8	1·2	105	17	5	8	8	3	16	29	19	.	.	.	5	2	1	.	.	.	11	3	4	11	12	2	.	5	49	4	29	14	4
Deaths relating to residents of localities situated outside the Registration Area (not included in above)				13	3	.	.	1	.	4	2	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	1	.	1	.	.	1	8	.	12	1	.
CITY OF CORK.																																		
Cork City Districts. Cork Urban, No. 1	13,455	23·3	.	6	.	.		4		.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	4		.
" 2	10,399	20·1	10·0	4	.	.		3		.	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	1	3		.
" 3	9,793	42·6	10·6	8	4	1		1		1	1	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	6	.	3		3
" 4	9,139	11·4	5·7	2	1	.		1		.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1		.
" 5	6,250	16·7	8·3	2	1	.		.		.	1	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1		.
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" 7	16,056	32·5	3·2	10	4	3		1		1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	2	.	1	.	1	4	1	4		2
Total City of Cork	76,673	22·4	4·8	33	10	4		10		2	6	1	1	.	.	3	.	.	2	.	.	2	2	2	2	.	1	.	2	16	2	16		5

* The populations given for the City of Cork and its component parts are those according to the Census of 1911.

† See note (†) at foot of first page.

TABLE III.—Showing the NUMBER of CASES of INFECTIOUS DISEASES notified in the Dublin Registration Area (viz. :—the City of Dublin, and the Urban Districts of Rathmines and Rathgar, Pembroke, Blackrock and Dún Laoghaire), and in the Cities of Cork, Limerick, and Waterford, during the week ended 24th June, 1922, and each of the preceding three weeks, as furnished by the respective Sanitary Authorities. A dash (—) denotes that the disease in question is not notifiable in the District.

Cities and Urban Districts.	Week ending	Enteric Fever.	Typhus.	Pyrexia—Continued Fever.	Relapsing Fever.	Small-pox.	Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Whooping-cough.	Diphtheria (including Membranous Croup).	Erysipelas.	Puerperal Fever.	Diarrhœal Diseases.	Dysentery	Malaria.	Trench Fever	Acute Primary Pneumonia and Acute Influenzal Pneumonia	Cerebro-spinal Fever	Acute Poliomyelitis	Encephalitis Lethargica	Tuberculosis.	Total.
City of Dublin	June 3	1	.	.	.	.	—	4	—	10	3	.	—	.	.	.	5	.	.	—	3	26
	June 10	.	.	.	.	.	—	12	—	3	1	.	—	.	.	.	3	.	.	—	6	25
	June 17	.	.	.	.	.	—	8	—	.	1	.	—	.	.	.	4	.	.	—	14	27
	June 24	1	.	.	.	.	—	15	—	.	7	.	—	.	.	.	7	.	.	—	21	51
Rathmines & Rathgar Urban District	June 3	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	.
	June 10	.	.	.	.	.	—	1	—	2	.	.	—	.	.	.	2	.	.	—	—	5
	June 17	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	.
	June 24	.	.	.	.	.	—	4	—	1	1	.	—	.	.	.	3	.	.	—	—	9
Pembroke Urban District	June 3	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	1
	June 10	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	2
	June 17	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	2
	June 24	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	1	.	.	—	.	1
Blackrock Urban District	June 3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.
	June 10	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.
	June 17	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	1	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	1
	June 24	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.
Dún Laoghaire Urban District	June 3	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.
	June 10	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.
	June 17	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.
	June 24	.	.	.	.	.	—	1	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	1
City of Cork	June 3	.	.	.	.	.	19	.	—	11	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	—	30
	June 10	.	.	.	.	.	4	.	—	5	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	—	10
	June 17	1	.	.	.	.	5	1	—	10	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	—	18
	June 24	1	.	.	.	.	2	.	—	10	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	—	13*a*
City of Limerick	June 3	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	.
	June 10	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	.
	June 17	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	.
	June 24	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	.
City of Waterford	June 3	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	.	.
	June 10	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	.	.
	June 17	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	.	.
	June 24	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	.	.

(*a*) Not including 2 cases of Varicella.

TABLE IV.—Showing the NUMBER of CASES of the undermentioned DISEASES treated in Dublin Hospitals during the week ended Saturday, 24th June, 1922, with the number under treatment at the close of each of the last four weeks.

Diseases	No. of Cases in Hospital at close of week ended			Week ended 24th June.			
	June 3	June 10	June 17	No. admitted.	Dis-charged.	Died.	No. under treatment at close of week.
Enteric Fever, ...	5	5	5	2	4	.	3
Typhus, ...	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Small-pox, ...	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Measles, ...	37	31	23	16	15	.	24
Scarlet Fever, ...	39	49	47	15	8	1	53*
Diphtheria, ...	41	44	38	3	19	.	22
Pneumonia, ...	40	39	41	8	15	1	33

* Exclusive of 15 patients in "Beneavin," the Convalescent Home of Cork Street Fever Hospital.

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TWELVE TOWN DISTRICTS.

The Births and Deaths * registered in the Dublin Registration Area and in eleven provincial Urban Districts of the Irish Free State, with the annual rates per 1,000 of the population represented thereby, which, for the purposes of these Returns, is estimated at 662,256, are given in Table I. The deaths from all causes appertaining to the undermentioned areas for last week and for the past four weeks, respectively, were equal to the following annual rates per 1,000 of the population:—

Twelve Town Districts‡, 10·0 and 12·6; Dublin Registration Area, 10·4 and 12·8; Dublin City, 11·6 and 13·8; Cork, 11·6 and 17·0; and Waterford, 5·7 and 12·8.

The deaths* from certain epidemic diseases † registered in the 12 town districts during last week were equal to an annual rate of 0·3 per 1,000. Among the 17 deaths from all causes for Cork is one from diphtheria, and the 3 deaths recorded for Tralee include one from influenza.

DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA.

In the Dublin Registration Area the total number of births registered during the week amounted to 174—93 boys and 81 girls—and the deaths to 85—45 males and 40 females.

The deaths registered, represent an annual rate of mortality of 10·4 per 1,000 of the population. During the twenty-six weeks ending with Saturday last, the death-rate averaged 20·5 and was 1·7 below the mean rate for the corresponding portions of the ten years, 1912-1921.

Included in the 85 deaths appertaining to the Area are one from measles, one from scarlet fever, one from diarrhœa and enteritis of a child under 2 years and one from influenza. In the 3 preceding weeks, deaths from measles were 5, 2, and 5; deaths from scarlet fever, 0, 0, and 2; and deaths from diarrhœa and enteritis of children under 2 years, 2, one, and 2. There were no deaths from influenza registered in the 3 preceding weeks.

There was one death from pneumonia, (not otherwise defined).

Tuberculous disease caused 16 deaths (including 10 from pulmonary tuberculosis, 3 from tuberculous meningitis, and 3 from other forms of tuberculous disease, as against 18, 28, and 14 from all forms of tuberculous disease in the 3 weeks preceding.

Ten deaths were caused by cancer, 10 by organic diseases of the heart, and 7 by bronchitis.

Two accidental deaths were registered, of which one was caused by gunshot wounds, and there was one case of homicide.

Among deaths of infants under one year old, one was due to tuberculous meningitis, 2 to congenital malformations, 2 to premature birth, and 2 to congenital debility.

Seventeen of the deaths registered during the week, appertaining to the Area, were those of children under 5 years of age, 10 being infants under one year, of whom 7 were under one month old, and 20 deaths were those of persons aged 65 and upwards, of whom 17 were 70 years of age or over.

Of the 85 deaths recorded, 45 occurred in hospitals and other public institutions.

ENGLAND AND SCOTLAND.

The mortality among civilians for the week ended 1st July, in 105 large English towns (including London in which the rate was 9·8) was equal to an average annual death rate of 9·7 per 1,000 of the estimated civil population.

The average death-rate for 16 principal towns of Scotland was 12·7 per 1,000 persons living, the rate for Glasgow being 13.2 and for Edinburgh 11·2.

* Exclusive of the deaths of persons admitted into public institutions from without the respective districts.
† Enteric fever, typhus, small-pox, measles, scarlet fever, whooping-cough, diphtheria, dysentery, and diarrhœal diseases.
‡ See Note (*h*) Table I.

TABLE I.—BIRTHS and DEATHS registered during the week ended Saturday, 1st July, 1922, in the DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA, in each of the under-mentioned 11 CITIES OR URBAN DISTRICTS, and in BELFAST and LONDONDERRY CITIES (*exclusive of Births and Deaths in Public Institutions relating to Persons admitted from other Districts*), the Number of Deaths from some of the PRINCIPAL CAUSES, and the Number of Uncertified Deaths with the Temperature and Rainfall for the week; also particulars regarding Births, Deaths and Meteorology in London, Edinburgh, and Glasgow.

TOWNS AND DISTRICTS.	POPULATION. Total (a)	Persons to an Acre.	Annual Rate per 1,000 Persons Represented by: BIRTHS.	DEATHS. From all Causes.	DEATHS. From certain Epidemic Diseases. (b)	BIRTHS. Total Number.	DEATHS. Total Number.	Under 1 year of Age.	At 65 years and upwards.	Caused by: Enteric Fever.	Typhus.	Small-pox.	Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Whooping-cough.	Diphtheria.	Dysentery.	Influenza.	Tuberculosis. Pulmonary.	Tuberculosis. Other Forms.	Cancer.	Diseases of the Respiratory System. Pneumonia.	Diseases of the Respiratory System. Other.	Diarrhœa and Enteritis of children under 2 years of age.	Diarrhœa, 2 years of age and upwards.	Violence.	Inquest Cases.	No. of Deaths in Public Institutions.	Number of Uncertified Deaths.	METEOROLOGY. (c) Week ended 1st July, 1922. Air Temperature. Absolute Highest.	Absolute Lowest.	Mean Maximum (A).	Mean Minimum (B).	Mean of (A) and (B).	Rainfall in Inches.
COLS.	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)	(14)	(15)	(16)	(17)	(18)	(19)	(20)	(21)	(22)	(23)	(24)	(25)	(26)	(27)	(28)	(29)	(30)	(31)	(32)	(33)	(34)	(35)
TOTAL OF 12 TOWN (h) DISTRICTS ...	662,256	18·9	22·2	10·0	0·3	282	127	14	30	.	.	.	1	1	.	1	.	2	14	9	15	2	11	1	.	4	2	56	4	.	.	.	.	.	.
DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA	427,000	30·5	19·3	10·4	0.4	158	85	10	20	.	.	.	1	1	.	.	.	1	10	6	10	1	7	1	.	3	1	45	2	(d)65·0	43·0	61·0	47·1	54·0	0·55
Urban Districts. CITY OF DUBLIN	327,000	40·0	20·1	11·6	0·5	126	73	9	15	.	.	.	1	1	.	.	.	1	9	5	9	1	7	1	.	3	1	38	1	(e)65·0 / (f)66·4	46·2 / 43·0	60·4 / 61·2	49·6 / 48·4	55·0 / 54·8	0·41 / 0·65
RATHMINES and RATHGAR ...	41,500	24·2	25·1	7·5	.	20	6	1	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	1	.	.	.	.	.	.
PEMBROKE ...	31,100	19·8	11·7	6·7	.	7	4	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
BLACKROCK ...	9,900	9·1	10·5	.	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
DÚN LAOGHAIRE	17,500	12·0	8.9	6·0	.	3	2	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	62	46	61·2	49·6	55·4	0·48
Urban Districts. CORK	76,673	28·6	39·4	11·6	0·7	58	17	2	5	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	2	1	1	1	2	.	.	.	.	6	.	63	46	58·7	50·3	54·5	0·59
LIMERICK ...	38,518	16·1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
WATERFORD ...	27,464	19·1	22·8	5·7	.	12	3	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
GALWAY	13,255	2.5	The annual rates			10	4	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.
DUNDALK ...	13,128	9·5	represented by the			3	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
DROGHEDA ...	12,501	8·4	numbers of births			7	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
WEXFORD ...	11,531	22·8	and deaths regis-			4	3	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.
SLIGO	11,163	2·8	tered for these			6	3	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	62	43	59	47	53	1·01
KILKENNY ...	10,514	11·4	urban districts will			6	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	66	42	62·5	49·3	55·9	0·72
TRALEE ...	10,300	17·4	be shown in the			13	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
CLONMEL	10,209	4·8	Quarterly Summary of the Weekly Returns.			5	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
BELFAST CITY	425,000	24·3	23·1	12.5	0·1	188	102	17	22	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	17	2	7	8	4	.	.	17	13	31	3	67·0	48·0	63·5	49·6	56·6	0·99
LONDONDERRY CITY ...	46,000	36·3	48·7	15·9	.	43	14	2	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	1	.	2	.	.	1	1	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
LONDON	4,476,238	—	—	9.8	.	1,889	852	79	268	.	.	.	16	1	5	25	—	—	95	27	117	34	50	12	5	39	81	468	—	71	45	65·7	50·4	58·1	0·68
EDINBURGH	420,486	—	—	11.2	0.9	179	90	9	25	.	.	.	2	.	.	1	—	—	—	—	—	5		4	—	3	—	—	—	63.0	44.0	59.7	45.3	52.5	0.64
GLASGOW	1,037,845	—	—	13.2	0.8	526	262g	58	66	.	.	.	2	2	4	2	—	—	—	—	—	29		5	—	11	—	—	—	59.8	45.0	58.6	46.9	52.8	0.48

(a) According to the Census of 1911, but in the cases of the Dublin Registration Area and its component parts, the population given is that estimated to the middle of 1922. The estimate shown for London relates to the civil population in 1921. The population for Glasgow and Edinburgh is that provisionally estimated to the middle of 1922. (b) See note (†) at foot of first page. (c) The observations shown for Cork were taken at Roche's Point, and those for Sligo at Markree. (d) Observations at Ordnance Survey Office, Phœnix Park. (e) Observations by Sir John Moore, taken at Fitzwilliam Square. (f) Observations taken at the Botanic Gardens, Glasnevin. (g) Including 3 deaths from cerebro-spinal meningitis. (h) Exclusive of Limerick, returns for which have not been received.

TABLE II.—Showing for the WEEK ENDED 1ST JULY, 1922, the number of DEATHS of Residents of the several REGISTRARS' DISTRICTS in the DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA, and in the CITY OF CORK, the annual Rate per 1,000 of the Population of the respective Districts represented thereby, and by the Deaths from the principal Epidemic Diseases†; with the mortality from some of the principal causes; also the Deaths at certain age-periods, and the number of Uncertified Deaths, *the Deaths in Public Institutions being assigned to the Districts from which the deceased were admitted.*

WEEK ENDED SATURDAY 1ST JULY, 1922.

REGISTRARS' DISTRICTS, &c.	Estimated Population middle of 1922.*	Annual Rate of Mortality per 1,000 Living represented by Deaths. From all causes	From certain Epidemic Diseases†	Total Deaths.	Under 1 year.	1 and under 2.	2 and under 5.	5 and under 15.	15 and under 25.	25 and under 45.	45 and under 65.	65 and upwards.	Caused by: Enteric Fever.	Typhus.	Small-pox.	Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Whooping-cough.	Diphtheria.	Dysentery.	Influenza.	Tuberculosis. Pulmonary.	Tuberculosis. Other Forms.	Cancer.	Diseases of Respiratory System. Pneumonia.	Diseases of Respiratory System. Other.	Diarrhœa and Enteritis of Children under 2 years.	Diarrhœa, 2 years and upwards.	Violence.	Other Causes.	Inquest Cases.	In Institutions. In Hospitals, Prisons and Lunatic Asylums.	In Institutions. In Workhouse Hospitals.	Number of Uncertified Deaths.
Cols.	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)	(14)	(15)	(16)	(17)	(18)	(19)	(20)	(21)	(22)	(23)	(24)	(25)	(26)	(27)	(28)	(29)	(30)	(31)	(32)	(33)	(34)
DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA.																																		
Dublin City Districts. North City, No. 1, E.	31,600	6·6	1·7	4	1	2	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	1	.	.	2	.	1	.	.
,, 1, W.	43,300	16·9	1·2	14	2	.	1	2	.	3	3	3	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	1	1	1	.	1	.	.	2	7	1	6	2	.
,, 2	29,000	10·8	.	6	.	.	.	.	2	1	2	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	4	.	3	.	.
,, 3	35,900	10·2	.	7	.	.	.	1	1	1	3	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	3	.	.	.	2	.	.	.	2	.	2	2	.
Clontarf and Howth, No. 1, part of	5,800	9·0	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Coolock and Drumcondra, part of	14,300	3·6	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.
Finglas and Glasnevin, part of	11,700	13·4	.	3	1	.	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	3	.	1	.	.
South City, No. 1	45,300	10·4	.	9	.	.	.	.	3	.	3	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	2	.	.	1	4	.	3	3	.
,, 2	19,100	8·2	.	3	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	1	2	.
,, 3	45,600	14·9	1·1	13	1	2	.	.	3	3	1	3	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	1	1	1	1	1	2	.	.	.	5	.	6	3	.
,, 4	34,500	15·1	.	10	2	1	1	.	.	3	2	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	2	2	.	.	.	.	.	4	.	2	1	1
New Kilmainham	10,900	9.6	.	2	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.
Urban Districts. Rathmines and Rathgar	41,500	7·5	.	6	1	.	.	1	.	1	1	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	1	.	.	.	.	1	3	.	2	.	1
Pembroke	31,100	6·7	.	4	.	.	.	.	.	2	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	4	.	3	.	.
Blackrock	9,900	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Dún Laoghaire	17,500	6·0	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	1	1	.
Total City of Dublin	327,000	11·6	0·5	73	9	5	2	5	10	12	15	15	.	.	.	1	1	.	.	.	1	9	5	9	1	7	1	.	3	35	1	25	13	1
Total Urban Districts	100,000	6·3	.	12	1	.	.	1	.	3	2	5	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	9	.	6	1	1
Total Dublin Registration Area	427,000	10·4	0·4	85	10	5	2	6	10	15	17	20	.	.	.	1	1	.	.	.	1	10	6	10	1	7	1	.	3	44	1	31	14	2
Deaths relating to residents of localities situated outside the Registration Area (not included in above)				.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
CITY OF CORK.																																		
Cork City Districts. Cork Urban, No. 1	13,455	7·8	.	2	.		.		.	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	.	.
,, 2	10,399	10·0	5·0	2	.		1		.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	.
,, 3	9,793	10·6	.	2	.		1		.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	1	.	.
,, 4	9,139	34·2	.	6	2		1		1	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	1	.	1	.	.	.	2	.	2	.	.
,, 5	6,250	8·3	.	1	.		1		.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
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,, 7	16,056	13·0	.	4	.		.		.	1	.	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	3	.	1	.	.
Total City of Cork	76,673	11·6	0·7	17	2		4		1	3	2	5	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	2	1	1	1	2	.	.	.	9	.	6		.

* The populations given for the City of Cork and its component parts are those according to the Census of 1911.

† See note (†) at foot of first page.

TABLE III.—Showing the NUMBER of CASES of INFECTIOUS DISEASES notified in the Dublin Registration Area (viz. :—the City of Dublin, and the Urban Districts of Rathmines and Rathgar, Pembroke, Blackrock and Dún Laoghaire), and in the Cities of Cork, Limerick, and Waterford, during the week ended 1st July, 1922, and each of the preceding three weeks, as furnished by the respective Sanitary Authorities. A dash (—) denotes that the disease in question is not notifiable in the District.

Cities and Urban Districts.	Week ending	Enteric Fever.	Typhus.	Pyrexia—Continued Fever.	Relapsing Fever.	Small-pox.	Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Whooping-cough.	Diphtheria (including Membranous Croup).	Erysipelas.	Puerperal Fever.	Diarrhœal Diseases.	Dysentery	Malaria.	Trench Fever	Acute Primary Pneumonia and Acute Influenzal Pneumonia.	Cerebro-spinal Fever	Acute Poliomyelitis	Encephalitis Lethargica	Tuberculosis.	Total.
City of Dublin	June 10	.	.	.	.	.	—	12	—	3	1	.	—	.	.	.	3	.	.	—	6	25
	June 17	.	.	.	.	.	—	8	—	.	1	.	—	.	.	.	4	.	.	—	14	27
	June 24	1	.	.	.	.	—	15	—	.	7	.	—	.	.	.	7	.	.	—	21	51
	July 1	.	.	.	.	.	—	7	—	5	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	7	19
Rathmines & Rathgar Urban District	June 10	.	.	.	.	.	—	1	—	2	.	.	—	.	.	.	2	.	.	—	—	5
	June 17	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	.
	June 24	.	.	.	.	.	—	4	—	1	1	.	—	.	.	.	3	.	.	—	—	9
	July 1	.	.	.	.	.	—	1	—	2	.	.	—	.	.	.	2	.	.	—	—	5
Pembroke Urban District	June 10	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	2
	June 17	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	2
	June 24	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	1	.	.	—	.	1
	July 1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.
Blackrock Urban District	June 10	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.
	June 17	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	1	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	1
	June 24	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.
	July 1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.
Dún Laoghaire Urban District	June 10	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.
	June 17	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.
	June 24	.	.	.	.	.	—	1	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	1
	July 1	.	.	.	.	.	—	1	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	1
City of Cork	June 10	.	.	.	.	.	4	.	—	5	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	—	10
	June 17	1	.	.	.	.	5	1	—	10	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	—	18
	June 24	1	.	.	.	.	2	.	—	10	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	—	13*a*
	July 1	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	—	10	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	—	11
City of Limerick	June 10	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	.
	June 17	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	.
	June 24	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	.
	July 1	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	.
City of Waterford	June 10	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	.	.
	June 17	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	.	.
	June 24	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	.	.
	July 1	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	.	.

(*a*) Not including 2 cases of Varicella.

TABLE IV.—Showing the NUMBER of CASES of the undermentioned DISEASES treated in Dublin Hospitals during the week ended Saturday, 1st July, 1922, with the number under treatment at the close of each of the last four weeks.

Diseases	No. of Cases in Hospital at close of week ended			Week ended 1st July.			
	June 10	June 17	June 24	No. admitted.	Dis-charged.	Died.	No. under treatment at close of week.
Enteric Fever, ...	5	5	3	1	1	.	3
Typhus, ...	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Small-pox, ...	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Measles, ...	31	23	24	12	7	.	29
Scarlet Fever,..	49	47	53	6	8	.	51*
Diphtheria, ...	44	38	22	7	4	.	25
Pneumonia, ...	39	41	33	3	11	.	25

* Exclusive of 16 patients in "Beneavin," the Convalescent Home of Cork Street Fever Hospital.

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TWELVE TOWN DISTRICTS.

The Births and Deaths * registered in the Dublin Registration Area and in eleven provincial Urban Districts of the Irish Free State, with the annual rates per 1,000 of the population represented thereby, which, for the purposes of these Returns, is estimated at 662,256, are given in Table I. The deaths from all causes appertaining to the undermentioned areas for last week and for the past four weeks, respectively, were equal to the following annual rates per 1,000 of the population:—

Twelve Town Districts ‡, 14·9 and 13·5; Dublin Registration Area, 16·4 and 13·4; Dublin City, 17·1 and 14·4; Cork, 11·6 and 16·0; and Waterford, 15·2 and 10·0.

The deaths* from certain epidemic diseases † registered in the 12 town districts ‡ during last week were equal to an annual rate of 0·6 per 1,000. Among the 17 deaths from all causes for Cork are one from measles, one from diphtheria, and one from diarrhœa and enteritis of a child under 2 years.

DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA.

In the Dublin Registration Area the total number of births registered during the week amounted to 145—74 boys and 71 girls—and the deaths to 149—83 males and 66 females.

The deaths registered, omitting the deaths (numbering 15) of persons admitted into public institutions from localities outside the Area, represent an annual rate of mortality of 16·4 per 1,000 of the population. During the twenty-seven weeks ending with Saturday last, the death-rate averaged 20·4 and was 1·6 below the mean rate for the corresponding portions of the ten years, 1912-1921. The rate for all deaths registered during the twenty-seven weeks was 22·0 and for the corresponding period of the preceding ten years 23·6.

Included in the 134 deaths appertaining to the Area are one from whooping-cough, one from diphtheria, and 2 from diarrhœa and enteritis of children under 2 years. In the 3 preceding weeks, deaths from whooping-cough were 2, one, and 0, and deaths from diarrhœa and enteritis of children under 2 years, one, 2, and one. There were no deaths from diphtheria registered in the 3 preceding weeks.

There were 7 deaths from pneumonia, comprising 2 from broncho-pneumonia and 5 from pneumonia (not otherwise defined).

Tuberculous disease caused 15 deaths (including 10 from pulmonary tuberculosis, one from abdominal tuberculosis, and 4 from general tuberculosis), as against 28, 14, and 16 from all forms of tuberculous disease in the 3 weeks preceding.

Eight deaths were caused by cancer, 15 by organic diseases of the heart, and 9 by bronchitis.

To violence 34 deaths were attributed.

Among deaths of infants under one year old, one was due to general tuberculosis, one to convulsions, one to broncho-pneumonia, one to pneumonia, 2 to diarrhœa and enteritis, one to premature birth, and 2 to congenital debility.

Twenty of the deaths registered during the week, appertaining to the Area, were those of children under 5 years of age, 11 being infants under one year, of whom 4 were under one month old, and 29 deaths were those of persons aged 65 and upwards, of whom 21 were 70 years of age or over.

Of the 134 deaths recorded, 85 occurred in hospitals and other public institutions.

ENGLAND AND SCOTLAND.

The mortality among civilians for the week ended 8th July, in 105 large English towns (including London in which the rate was 9·2) was equal to an average annual death rate of 9·5 per 1,000 of the estimated civil population.

The average death-rate for 16 principal towns of Scotland was 12·3 per 1,000 persons living, the rate for Glasgow being 12·2 and for Edinburgh 12·8.

* Exclusive of the deaths of persons admitted into public institutions from without the respective districts.
† Enteric fever, typhus, small-pox, measles, scarlet fever, whooping-cough, diphtheria, dysentery, and diarrhœal diseases.
‡ See Note (*h*) Table I.

TABLE I.—BIRTHS and DEATHS registered during the week ended Saturday, 8TH JULY, 1922, in the DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA, in each of the under-mentioned 11 CITIES OR URBAN DISTRICTS, and in BELFAST and LONDONDERRY CITIES (*exclusive of Births and Deaths in Public Institutions relating to Persons admitted from other Districts*), the Number of Deaths from some of the PRINCIPAL CAUSES, and the Number of Uncertified Deaths with the Temperature and Rainfall for the week; also particulars regarding Births, Deaths and Meteorology in London, Edinburgh, and Glasgow.

TOWNS AND DISTRICTS.	POPULATION. Total (a)	Persons to an Acre.	Annual Rate per 1,000 Persons Represented by BIRTHS.	DEATHS. From all Causes.	DEATHS. From certain Epidemic Diseases. (b)	REGISTRATION—WEEK ENDED SATURDAY, 8TH JULY, 1922. NUMBERS REGISTERED. BIRTHS. Total Number.	DEATHS. Total Number.	Under 1 year of Age.	At 65 years and upwards.	Caused by: Enteric Fever.	Typhus.	Small-pox.	Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Whooping-cough.	Diphtheria.	Dysentery.	Influenza.	Tuberculosis. Pulmonary.	Other Forms.	Cancer.	Diseases of the Respiratory System. Pneumonia.	Other.	Diarrhœa and Enteritis of children under 2 years of age.	Diarrhœa, 2 years of age and upwards.	Violence.	Inquest Cases.	No. of Deaths in Public Institutions.	Number of Uncertified Deaths.	METEOROLOGY. (c) WEEK ENDED 8TH JULY, 1922. Air Temperature. Absolute Highest.	Absolute Lowest.	Mean Maximum (A).	Mean Minimum (B).	Mean of (A) and (B).	Rainfall in Inches.
COLS.	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)	(14)	(15)	(16)	(17)	(18)	(19)	(20)	(21)	(22)	(23)	(24)	(25)	(26)	(27)	(28)	(29)	(30)	(31)	(32)	(33)	(34)	(35)
TOTAL OF 12 TOWN (h) DISTRICTS ...	662,256	18·9	17·8	14·9	0·6	209	175	15	37	.	.	.	1	.	1	2	.	.	16	8	11	10	13	3	.	34	26	102	4	.	.	.	.	.	.
DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA	427,000	30·5	16·2	13·4	0.5	133	134	11	29	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	.	10	5	8	7	13	2	.	34	26	85	1	(d)64·5	45·0	61·0	47·6	54·3	0·93
Urban Districts. CITY OF DUBLIN	327,000	40·0	16·3	17·1	0·3	102	107	7	23	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	.	8	4	7	5	10	.	.	30	22	76	1	(e)65·0 (f)65·8	47·2 47·0	60·2 61·0	50·1 49·5	55·2 55·3	1·21 1·23
Urban Districts. RATHMINES and RATHGAR ...	41,500	24·2	17·6	11·3	1·3	14	9	2	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	1	1	.	2	2	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Urban Districts. PEMBROKE ...	31,100	19·8	21·8	15·1	1·7	13	9	2	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	2	1	.	1	1	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Urban Districts. BLACKROCK ...	9,900	9·1	.	5·3	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Urban Districts. DÚN LAOGHAIRE	17,500	12·0	11.9	23·8	.	4	8	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	1	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	4	.	68	48	63·8	57·2	60·5	1·09
Urban Districts. CORK	76,673	28·6	19·7	11·6	2·0	29	17	3	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	1	.	.	3	1	1	1	.	1	.	.	.	7	1	62	48	59·0	50·1	54·6	1·22
Urban Districts. LIMERICK ...	38,518	16·1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Urban Districts. WATERFORD ...	27,464	19·1	17·1	15·2	.	9	8	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Urban Districts. GALWAY	13,255	2.5	The annual rates represented by the numbers of births and deaths registered for these urban districts will be shown in the Quarterly Summary of the Weekly Returns.			5	4	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Urban Districts. DUNDALK ...	13,128	9·5				9	3	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.
Urban Districts. DROGHEDA ...	12,501	8·4				5	3	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Urban Districts. WEXFORD ...	11,531	22·8				8	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Urban Districts. SLIGO	11,163	2·8				.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	60·0	40·0	58·0	46·0	52·0	2·22
Urban Districts. KILKENNY ...	10,514	11·4				8	4	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	64	42	61·4	47·5	54·4	0·98
Urban Districts. TRALEE ...	10,300	17·4				3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Urban Districts. CLONMEL	10,209	4·8				.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
BELFAST CITY	425,000	24·3	28·8	12·3	0·5	235	100	15	18	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	1	9	3	4	8	1	2	1	19	17	32	.	70·0	50·0	67·3	52·3	59·8	1·22
LONDONDERRY CITY ...	46,000	36·3	19·3	11·3	.	17	10	2	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	1	1	1	.	.	.	.	4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
LONDON	4,476,238	—	—	9.2	.	1,817	795	88	245	2	.	.	12	3	12	24	—	—	84	20	111	50	37	8	3	40	78	413	1	70	45	66·3	50·1	58·2	1·40
EDINBURGH	420,486	—	—	12·8	1·1	176	103	9	39	.	.	.	3	1	3	.	—	—	—	—	—	10		2	—	3	—	—	—	61·0	45·0	58·1	47·3	52·7	1·84
GLASGOW	1,037,845	—	—	12·2	0·7	540	243g	29	70	.	.	.	4	.	1	1	—	—	—	—	—	49		8	—	12	—	—	—	61·4	47·2	59·0	48·7	53·9	0·81

(a) According to the Census of 1911, but in the cases of the Dublin Registration Area and its component parts, the population given is that estimated to the middle of 1922. The estimate shown for London relates to the civil population in 1921. The population for Glasgow and Edinburgh is that provisionally estimated to the middle of 1922. (b) See note (†) at foot of first page. (c) The observations shown for Cork were taken at Roche's Point, and those for Sligo at Markree. (d) Observations at Ordnance Survey Office, Phœnix Park. (e) Observations by Sir John Moore, taken at Fitzwilliam Square. (f) Observations taken at the Botanic Gardens, Glasnevin. (g) Including 2 deaths from cerebro-spinal meningitis. (h) Exclusive of Limerick and Clonmel, returns for which have not been received.

TABLE II.—Showing for the WEEK ENDED 8TH JULY, 1922, the number of DEATHS of Residents of the several REGISTRARS' DISTRICTS in the DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA, and in the CITY OF CORK, the annual Rate per 1,000 of the Population of the respective Districts represented thereby, and by the Deaths from the principal Epidemic Diseases†; with the mortality from some of the principal causes; also the Deaths at certain age-periods, and the number of Uncertified Deaths, *the Deaths in Public Institutions being assigned to the Districts from which the deceased were admitted.*

WEEK ENDED SATURDAY 8TH JULY, 1922.

REGISTRARS' DISTRICTS, &c.	Estimated Population middle of 1922.*	Annual Rate of Mortality per 1,000 Living represented by Deaths. From all causes	From certain Epidemic Diseases†	Total Deaths.	Under 1 year.	1 and under 2.	2 and under 5.	5 and under 15.	15 and under 25.	25 and under 45.	45 and under 65.	65 and upwards.	Enteric Fever.	Typhus.	Small-pox.	Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Whooping-cough.	Diphtheria.	Dysentery.	Influenza.	Tuberculosis. Pulmonary.	Tuberculosis. Other Forms.	Cancer.	Diseases of Respiratory System. Pneumonia.	Diseases of Respiratory System. Other.	Diarrhœa and Enteritis of Children under 2 years.	Diarrhœa, 2 years and upwards.	Violence.	Other Causes.	Inquest Cases.	In Institutions. In Hospitals, Prisons and Lunatic Asylums.	In Institutions. In Workhouse Hospitals.	Number of Uncertified Deaths.
Cols.	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)	(14)	(15)	(16)	(17)	(18)	(19)	(20)	(21)	(22)	(23)	(24)	(25)	(26)	(27)	(28)	(29)	(30)	(31)	(32)	(33)	34)
DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA.																																		
Dublin City Districts. North City, No. 1, E.	31,600	8·3	1·7	5	1	1	.	.	.	2	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	2	1	2	.	.
" 1, W.	43,300	31·3	.	26	2	1	1	1	4	9	6	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	3	1	2	1	4	.	.	8	7	5	14	2	.
" 2	29,000	30·6	.	17	2	.	.	1	3	3	3	5	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	1	.	.	8	7	8	11	3	.
" 3	35,900	24·7	1·5	17	2	.	.	2	2	3	3	5	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	1	.	.	1	2	.	.	5	7	2	9	2	1
Clontarf and Howth, No. 1, part of	5,800	18·0	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	1	1	.
Coolock and Drumcondra, part of	14,300	10·9	.	3	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	.
Finglas and Glasnevin, part of	11,700	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
South City, No. 1	45,300	11·5	.	10	.	.	1	.	1	2	1	5	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	2	7	2	7	2	.
" 2	19,100	5·5	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	1	1	.
" 3	45,600	14·9	.	13	.	1	1	.	1	5	3	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	3	2	2	.	.	5	1	4	8	4	.
" 4	34,500	13·6	.	9	.	.	.	1	3	.	3	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	1	.	1	.	.	.	1	4	.	5	1	.
New Kilmainham	10,900	14.4	.	3	.	.	1	1	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	.	.
Urban Districts. Rathmines and Rathgar	41,500	11·3	1·3	9	2	.	.	.	1	1	3	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	1	1	.	2	3	2	2	.	.
Pembroke	31,100	15·1	1·7	9	2	2	.	.	3	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	2	1	.	1	4	1	2	.	.
Blackrock	9,900	5·3	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.
Dún Laoghaire	17,500	23·8	.	8	.	.	.	1	1	.	4	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	1	.	.	.	.	.	1	4	1	4	.	.
Total City of Dublin	327,000	17·1	0·3	107	7	3	4	6	15	26	23	23	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	.	8	4	7	5	10	.	.	30	41	22	59	17	1
Total Urban Districts	100,000	14·1	1·0	27	4	2	.	1	5	1	8	6	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	1	1	2	3	2	.	4	12	4	9	.	.
Total Dublin Registration Area	427,000	16·4	0·5	134	11	5	4	7	20	27	31	29	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	.	10	5	8	7	13	2	.	34	53	26	68	17	1
Deaths relating to residents of localities situated outside the Registration Area (not included in above)				15	1	.	.	.	4	3	4	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	2	1	1	1	.	.	3	6	2	14	1	.
CITY OF CORK.																																		
Cork City Districts. Cork Urban, No. 1	13,455	15·5	.	4	.		.		1	1	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	3		.
" 2	10,399	5·0	.	1	.		.		1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.		.
" 3	9,793	10·6	5·3	2	.		1		.	.	1	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.		1
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" 6	11,581	18·0	9·0	4	1		1		.	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	2	.	2		.
" 7	16,056	19·5	.	6	2		1		.	1	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	3	.	2		.
Total City of Cork	76,673	11·6	2·0	17	3		3		2	2	7	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	1	.	.	3	1	1	1	.	1	.	.	8	.	7		1

* The populations given for the City of Cork and its component parts are those according to the Census of 1911. † See note (†) at foot of first page.

TABLE III.—Showing the NUMBER of CASES of INFECTIOUS DISEASES notified in the Dublin Registration Area (viz. :—the City of Dublin, and the Urban Districts of Rathmines and Rathgar, Pembroke, Blackrock and Dún Laoghaire), and in the Cities of Cork, Limerick, and Waterford, during the week ended 8th July, 1922, and each of the preceding three weeks, as furnished by the respective Sanitary Authorities. A dash (—) denotes that the disease in question is not notifiable in the District.

Cities and Urban Districts.	Week ending	Enteric Fever.	Typhus.	Pyrexia—Continued Fever.	Relapsing Fever.	Small-pox.	Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Whooping-cough.	Diphtheria (including Membranous Croup).	Erysipelas.	Puerperal Fever.	Diarrhœal Diseases.	Dysentery.	Malaria.	Trench Fever	Acute Primary Pneumonia and Acute Influenzal Pneumonia.	Cerebro-spinal Fever	Acute Poliomyelitis	Encephalitis Lethargica	Tuberculosis.	Total.
City of Dublin	June 17	.	.	.	.	.	—	8	—	.	1	.	—	.	.	.	4	.	.	—	14	27
	June 24	1	.	.	.	.	—	15	—	.	7	.	—	.	.	.	7	.	.	—	21	51
	July 1	.	.	.	.	.	—	7	—	5	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	7	19
	July 8	.	.	.	.	.	—	8	—	2	2	.	—	.	.	.	8	.	.	—	14	34
Rathmines & Rathgar Urban District	June 17	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	.
	June 24	.	.	.	.	.	—	4	—	1	1	.	—	.	.	.	3	.	.	—	—	9
	July 1	.	.	.	.	.	—	1	—	2		.	—	.	.	.	2	.	.	—	—	5
	July 8	.	.	.	.	.	—	1	—	.	1	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	2
Pembroke Urban District	June 17	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	2
	June 24	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	1	.	.	—	.	1
	July 1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.
	July 8	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	1	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	2
Blackrock Urban District	June 17	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	1	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	1
	June 24	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.
	July 1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.
	July 8	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.
Dún Laoghaire Urban District	June 17	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.
	June 24	.	.	.	.	.	—	1	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	1
	July 1	.	.	.	.	.	—	1	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	1
	July 8	.	.	.	.	.	—	1	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	1
City of Cork	June 17	1	.	.	.	.	5	1	—	10	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	—	18
	June 24	1	.	.	.	.	2	.	—	10	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	—	13*a*
	July 1	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	—	10	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	—	11
	July 8	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	—	2	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	—	5*b*
City of Limerick	June 17	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	.
	June 24	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	.
	July 1	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	.
	July 8	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	.
City of Waterford	June 17	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	.	.
	June 24	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	.	.
	July 1	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	.	.
	July 8	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	.	.

(*a*) Not including 2 cases of Varicella. (*b*) Not including one case of Varicella.

TABLE IV.—Showing the NUMBER of CASES of the undermentioned DISEASES treated in Dublin Hospitals during the week ended Saturday, 8th July, 1922, with the number under treatment at the close of each of the last four weeks.

Diseases	No. of Cases in Hospital at close of week ended			Week ended 8th July.			
	June 17	June 24	July 1	No. admitted.	Dis-charged.	Died.	No. under treatment at close of week.
Enteric Fever, ...	5	3	3	.	.	.	3
Typhus, ...	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Small-pox, ...	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Measles, ...	23	24	29	10	12	.	27
Scarlet Fever,..	47	53	51	7	8	.	50*
Diphtheria, ...	38	22	25	4	8	1	20
Pneumonia, ...	41	33	25	4	6	.	23

* Exclusive of 18 patients in "Beneavin," the Convalescent Home of Cork Street Fever Hospital.

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TWELVE TOWN DISTRICTS.

The Births and Deaths * registered in the Dublin Registration Area and in eleven provincial Urban Districts of the Irish Free State, with the annual rates per 1,000 of the population represented thereby, which, for the purposes of these Returns, is estimated at 662,256, are given in Table I. The deaths from all causes appertaining to the undermentioned areas for last week and for the past four weeks, respectively, were equal to the following annual rates per 1,000 of the population:—

Twelve Town Districts, ‡ 16·6 and 14·0; Dublin Registration Area, 17·7 and 14·3; Dublin City, 17·9 and 15·2; Cork, 11·6 and 14·3; and Waterford, 13·3 and 10·9.

The deaths* from certain epidemic diseases † registered in the 12 town districts ‡ during last week were equal to an annual rate of 0·8 per 1,000, and among the 17 deaths from all causes for Cork is one from diarrhœa and enteritis of a child under 2 years.

DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA.

In the Dublin Registration Area the total number of births registered during the week amounted to 253—125 boys and 128 girls—and the deaths to 169—89 males and 80 females.

The deaths registered, omitting the deaths (numbering 24) of persons admitted to public institutions from localities outside the Dublin Registration Area, represent an annual rate of mortality of 17·7 per 1,000 of the population. During the twenty-eight weeks ended Saturday, 15th July, the death-rate averaged 20·3 and was 1·5 below the mean rate for the corresponding portions of the ten years, 1912-1921. The rate for all deaths registered during the twenty-eight weeks was 21·9 and for the corresponding period of the preceding ten years 23·5.

Included in the 145 deaths appertaining to the Area are one from scarlet fever, one from whooping-cough, 6 from diarrhœa and enteritis of children under 2 years, and one from influenza. In the 3 preceding weeks, deaths from scarlet fever were 2, one, and 0; deaths from whooping-cough were one, 0 and one; deaths from diarrhœa and enteritis of children under 2 years, 2, one, and one; and deaths from influenza, 0, one, and 0.

There were 2 deaths from broncho-pneumonia, one from lobar pneumonia and 2 from pneumonia (not otherwise defined).

Tuberculous disease caused 15 deaths (including 13 from pulmonary tuberculosis, one from tuberculous meningitis, and one from disseminated tuberculosis), as against 14, 16, and 15 from all forms of tuberculous disease in the 3 weeks preceding.

Fourteen deaths were caused by cancer, 8 by organic diseases of the heart, and 10 by bronchitis.

Five accidental deaths were registered, of which 2 were caused by burns or scalds, 2 were by drowning, and one was caused by gunshot wounds; 21 deaths were assigned to homicide.

Among deaths of infants under one year old, one was due to whooping-cough, one to tuberculous meningitis, 2 to convulsions, one to pneumonia, 5 to diarrhœa and enteritis, one to congenital malformations, 2 to premature birth, and one to congenital debility.

Twenty-seven of the deaths registered during the week, appertaining to the Area, were those of children under 5 years of age, 18 being infants under one year, of whom 5 were under one month old, and 28 deaths were those of persons aged 65 and upwards, of whom 21 were 70 years of age or over.

Of the 145 deaths recorded, 66 occurred in hospitals and other public institutions.

ENGLAND AND SCOTLAND.

The mortality among civilians for the week ended 15th July, in 105 large English towns (including London in which the rate was 9·7) was equal to an average annual death rate of 9·7 per 1,000 of the estimated civil population.

The average death-rate for 16 principal towns of Scotland was 10·2 per 1,000 persons living, the rate for Glasgow being 9·2 and for Edinburgh 10·5.

* Exclusive of the deaths of persons admitted into public institutions from without the respective districts.

† Enteric fever, typhus, small-pox, measles, scarlet fever, whooping-cough, diphtheria, dysentery, and diarrhœal diseases.

‡ See Note (*g*) Table I.

Table I.—BIRTHS and DEATHS registered during the week ended Saturday, 15th July, 1922, in the Dublin Registration Area, in each of the under-mentioned 11 Cities or Urban Districts, and in Belfast and Londonderry Cities (*exclusive of Births and Deaths in Public Institutions relating to Persons admitted from other Districts*), the Number of Deaths from some of the Principal Causes, and the Number of Uncertified Deaths with the Temperature and Rainfall for the week; also particulars regarding Births, Deaths and Meteorology in London, Edinburgh, and Glasgow.

Towns and Districts.	Population. Total (a)	Population. Persons to an Acre.	Annual Rate per 1,000 Persons Represented by Births	Annual Rate per 1,000 Persons Represented by Deaths. From all Causes.	Annual Rate per 1,000 Persons Represented by Deaths. From certain Epidemic Diseases. (b)	Registration—Week ended Saturday, 15th July, 1922. Numbers Registered. Births. Total Number	Deaths. Total Number.	Under 1 year of Age.	At 65 years and upwards.	Caused by: Enteric Fever.	Typhus.	Small-pox.	Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Whooping-cough.	Diphtheria.	Dysentery.	Influenza.	Tuberculosis. Pulmonary.	Tuberculosis. Other Forms.	Cancer.	Diseases of the Respiratory System. Pneumonia.	Diseases of the Respiratory System. Other.	Diarrhœa and Enteritis of children under 2 years of age.	Diarrhœa, 2 years of age and upwards.	Violence.	Inquest Cases.	No. of Deaths in Public Institutions.	Number of Uncertified Deaths.	Meteorology. (c) Week ended 15th July, 1922. Air Temperature. Absolute Highest.	Absolute Lowest.	Mean Maximum (A).	Mean Minimum (B).	Mean of (A) and (B).	Rainfall in Inches.
Cols.	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)	(14)	(15)	(16)	(17)	(18)	(19)	(20)	(21)	(22)	(23)	(24)	(25)	(26)	(27)	(28)	(29)	(30)	(31)	(32)	(33)	(34)	(35)
Total of 12 Town (g) Districts ...	662,256	18·9	27·0	16·6	0·8	318	197	24	41	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	.	1	21	6	19	10	16	7	.	30	19	80	6	.	.	.	.	.	.
Dublin Registration Area	427,000	30·5	29·1	17·7	1·0	238	145	18	28	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	.	1	13	2	14	5	12	6	.	26	16	66	3	(d)69·5	36·9	63·4	46·0	54·7	0·25
Urban Districts. City of Dublin	327,000	40·0	30·8	17·9	1·1	193	112	14	17	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	10	2	9	3	11	6	.	21	13	53	2	(e)67·3 (f)70·2	45·4 40·2	62·6 63·9	48·9 46·0	55·8 55·0	0·23 0·19
Urban Districts. Rathmines and Rathgar ...	41,500	24·2	17·6	16·3	.	14	13	2	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	1	.	.	.	.	5	3	8	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Urban Districts. Pembroke ...	31,100	19·8	25·1	23·5	1·7	15	14	2	6	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	1	.	2	2	1	.	.	.	.	5	1	.	.	.	.	.	.
Urban Districts. Blackrock ...	9,900	9·1	21·1	.	.	4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Urban Districts. Dún Laoghaire	17,500	12·0	35.8	17·9	.	12	6	.	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	64	45	60·7	48·2	54·5	0·45
Urban Districts. Cork	76,673	28·6	27·2	11·6	0·7	40	17	2	6	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	4	3	1	1	.	1	1	7	.	62	43	59·6	48·7	54·2	0·32
Urban Districts. Limerick ...	38,518	16·1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Urban Districts. Waterford ...	27,464	19·1	28·5	13·3	.	15	7	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Urban Districts. Galway	13,255	2.5	The annual rates			8	3	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Urban Districts. Dundalk ...	13,128	9·5	represented by the			4	2	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Urban Districts. Drogheda ...	12,501	8·4	numbers of births			1	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Urban Districts. Wexford ...	11,531	22·8	and deaths regis-			2	7	2	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	1	2	.	.	.	.	1	2	.	.	.	.	.	.
Urban Districts. Sligo	11,163	2·8	tered for these			2	2	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	67·0	34·0	61·0	44·0	52·5	0·30
Urban Districts. Kilkenny ...	10,514	11·4	urban districts will			4	8	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	.	1	.	.	1	1	3	.	67	39	62·7	45·5	54·1	0·16
Urban Districts. Tralee ...	10,300	17·4	be shown in the			4	3	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Urban Districts. Clonmel	10,209	4·8	Quarterly Summary			.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
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			Returns.																																
Belfast City	425,000	24·3	17·7	15·5	0·2	144	126	23	40	.	.	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	10	2	9	17	14	.	.	15	13	33	2	68·0	49·5	65·5	52·1	58·8	0·48
Londonderry City ...	46,000	36·3	27.2	12·5	3·4	24	11	4	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	3	.	1	1	.	3	.	.	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
London	4,476,238	—	—	9.7	.	1,900	844	78	255	2	.	.	3	5	7	15	—	—	100	14	132	40	37	6	3	42	82	447	5	76	46	68·4	49·3	58·9	1·02
Edinburgh	420,486	—	—	10·5	0·4	194	85	10	27	.	.	.	2	.	1	.	—	—	—	—	—	2		.	—	4	—	—	—	64·0	46·0	60·4	47·9	54·1	1·12
Glasgow	1,037,845	—	—	9·2	0·7	526	184	27	42	1	.	.	4	.	1	2	—	2	—	—	—	17		5	—	12	—	—	—	65·0	43·0	60·9	48·3	54·6	0·35

(a) According to the Census of 1911, but in the cases of the Dublin Registration Area and its component parts, the population given is that estimated to the middle of 1922. The estimate shown for London relates to the civil population in 1921. The population for Glasgow and Edinburgh is that provisionally estimated to the middle of 1922. (b) See note (†) at foot of first page. (c) The observations shown for Cork were taken at Roche's Point, and those for Sligo at Markree. (d) Observations at Ordnance Survey Office, Phœnix Park. (e) Observations by Sir John Moore, taken at Fitzwilliam Square. (f) Observations taken at the Botanic Gardens, Glasnevin. (g) Exclusive of Limerick and Clonmel, returns for which have not been received.

TABLE II.—Showing for the WEEK ENDED 15TH JULY, 1922, the number of DEATHS of Residents of the several REGISTRARS' DISTRICTS in the DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA, and in the CITY OF CORK, the annual Rate per 1,000 of the Population of the respective Districts represented thereby, and by the Deaths from the principal Epidemic Diseases†; with the mortality from some of the principal causes; also the Deaths at certain age-periods, and the number of Uncertified Deaths, *the Deaths in Public Institutions being assigned to the Districts from which the deceased were admitted.*

WEEK ENDED SATURDAY 15TH JULY, 1922.

REGISTRARS' DISTRICTS, &c.	Estimated Population middle of 1922.*	Annual Rate of Mortality per 1,000 Living represented by Deaths. From all causes	From certain Epidemic Diseases†	Total Deaths.	Under 1 year.	1 and under 2.	2 and under 5.	5 and under 15.	15 and under 25.	25 and under 45.	45 and under 65.	65 and upwards.	Enteric Fever.	Typhus.	Small-pox.	Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Whooping-cough.	Diphtheria.	Dysentery.	Influenza.	Tuberculosis. Pulmonary.	Tuberculosis. Other Forms.	Cancer.	Diseases of Respiratory System. Pneumonia.	Diseases of Respiratory System. Other.	Diarrhœa and Enteritis of Children under 2 years.	Diarrhœa, 2 years and upwards.	Violence.	Other Causes.	Inquest Cases.	In Institutions. In Hospitals, Prisons and Lunatic Asylums.	In Institutions. In Workhouse Hospitals.	Number of Uncertified Deaths.
COLS.	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)	(14)	(15)	(16)	(17)	(18)	(19)	(20)	(21)	(22)	(23)	(24)	(25)	(26)	(27)	(28)	(29)	(30)	(31)	(32)	(33)	34)
DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA.																																		
Dublin City Districts. North City, No. 1, E.	31,600	18·2	·	11	2	·	·	1	2	3	3	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	6	·	·	1	1	·	·	2	1	·	4	·	1
" 1, W.	43,300	27·7	2·4	23	5	·	·	1	2	4	5	6	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	1	·	2	·	2	2	·	3	13	3	10	1	·
" 2	29,000	10·8	1·8	6	1	·	·	·	·	1	3	1	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	1	·	1	4	1	1	3	·
" 3	35,900	23·2	2·9	16	1	·	1	3	1	3	3	4	·	·	·	·	1	·	·	·	·	·	1	2	·	2	1	·	·	9	·	3	3	·
Clontarf and Howth, No. 1, part of	5,800	18·0	·	2	1	·	·	·	·	1	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	1	1	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·
Coolock and Drumcondra, part of	14,300	3·6	·	1	·	·	·	·	·	·	1	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	1	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	1	·	·
Finglas and Glasnevin, part of	11,700	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·
South City, No. 1	45,300	10·4	1·2	9	3	1	·	·	2	1	2	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	1	2	1	·	1	4	1	4	2	·
" 2	19,100	19·1	2·7	7	·	1	·	·	2	2	2	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	1	·	·	·	·	1	·	3	2	3	5	·	·
" 3	45,600	19·4	·	17	1	·	1	·	1	6	5	3	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	1	·	1	1	3	·	·	4	7	3	6	1	·
" 4	34,500	25·7	·	17	·	2	1	1	4	4	3	2	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	2	·	1	·	·	7	7	2	6	1	1
New Kilmainham	10,900	14·4	·	3	·	·	·	·	·	·	2	1	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	1	·	·	·	·	·	2	·	2	·	·
Urban Districts. Rathmines and Rathgar	41,500	16·3	·	13	2	·	·	1	3	4	1	2	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	2	·	1	·	·	·	·	5	5	3	8	·	·
Pembroke	31,100	23·5	1·7	14	2	1	1	1	·	2	1	6	·	·	·	·	·	1	·	·	·	1	·	2	2	1	·	·	·	7	·	5	·	1
Blackrock	9,900	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·
Dún Laoghaire	17,500	17·9	·	6	·	·	·	1	·	2	·	3	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	1	·	·	2	·	·	·	·	·	3	·	·	·	·
Total City of Dublin	327,000	17·9	1·1	112	14	4	3	6	14	25	29	17	·	·	·	·	1	·	·	·	·	10	2	9	3	11	6	·	21	49	13	42	11	2
Total Urban Districts	100,000	17·2	0·5	33	4	1	1	3	3	8	2	11	·	·	·	·	·	1	·	·	1	3	·	5	2	1	·	·	5	15	3	13	·	1
Total Dublin Registration Area	427,000	17·7	1·0	145	18	5	4	9	17	33	31	28	·	·	·	·	1	1	·	·	1	13	2	14	5	12	6	·	26	64	16	55	11	3
Deaths relating to residents of localities situated outside the Registration Area (not included in above)				24	2	·	·	1	4	7	7	3	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	1	3	1	1	1	·	·	·	4	13	1	·	1	·
CITY OF CORK.																																		
Cork City Districts. Cork Urban, No. 1	13,455	19·4	·	5	·		·		·	1	2	2	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	3	·	·	·	·	1	1	1	3		·
" 2	10,399	5·0	·	1	1		·		·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	1	·	·	·	·	·	·	·		·
" 3	9,793	5·3	·	1	1		·		·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	1	·	·	·	·	·	·		·
" 4	9,139	17·1	5·7	3	·		1		·	1	·	1	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	1	·	1	·	·	1	·	1		·
" 5	6,250	·	·	·	·		·		·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·		·
" 6	11,581	27·0	·	6	·		1		·	2	·	3	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	1	1	1	·	·	·	·	3	·	2		·
" 7	16,056	3·2	·	1	·		·		1	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	1	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	1		·
Total City of Cork	76,673	11·6	0·7	17	2		2		1	4	2	6	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	1	1	4	3	1	1	·	1	5	1	7		·

* The populations given for the City of Cork and its component parts are those according to the Census of 1911.

† See note (†) at foot of first page.

TABLE III.—Showing the NUMBER of CASES of INFECTIOUS DISEASES notified in the Dublin Registration Area (viz. :—the City of Dublin, and the Urban Districts of Rathmines and Rathgar, Pembroke, Blackrock and Dún Laoghaire), and in the Cities of Cork, Limerick, and Waterford, during the week ended 15th July, 1922, and each of the preceding three weeks, as furnished by the respective Sanitary Authorities. A dash (—) denotes that the disease in question is not notifiable in the District.

Cities and Urban Districts.	Week ending	Enteric Fever.	Typhus.	Pyrexia—Continued Fever.	Relapsing Fever.	Small-pox.	Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Whooping-cough.	Diphtheria (including Membranous Croup).	Erysipelas.	Puerperal Fever.	Diarrhœal Diseases.	Dysentery.	Malaria.	Trench Fever	Acute Primary Pneumonia and Acute Influenzal Pneumonia.	Cerebro-spinal Fever	Acute Poliomyelitis	Encephalitis Lethargica	Tuberculosis.	Total.
City of Dublin	June 24	1	.	.	.	.	—	15	—	.	7	.	—	.	.	.	7	.	.	—	21	51
	July 1	.	.	.	.	.	—	7	—	5	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	7	19
	July 8	.	.	.	.	.	—	8	—	2	2	.	—	.	.	.	8	.	.	—	14	34
	July 15	2	.	.	.	.	—	8	—	1	2	.	—	.	.	.	3	.	.	—	2	18
Rathmines & Rathgar Urban District	June 24	.	.	.	.	.	—	4	—	1	1	.	—	.	.	.	3	.	.	—	—	9
	July 1	.	.	.	.	.	—	1	—	2	.	.	—	.	.	.	2	.	.	—	—	5
	July 8	.	.	.	.	.	—	1	—	.	1	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	2
	July 15	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	.
Pembroke Urban District	June 24	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	1	.	.	—	.	1
	July 1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.
	July 8	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	1	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	2
	July 15	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.
Blackrock Urban District	June 24	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.
	July 1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.
	July 8	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.
	July 15	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.
Dún Laoghaire Urban District	June 24	.	.	.	.	.	—	1	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	1
	July 1	.	.	.	.	.	—	1	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	1
	July 8	.	.	.	.	.	—	1	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	1
	July 15	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.
City of Cork	June 24	1	.	.	.	.	2	.	—	10	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	—	13*a*
	July 1	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	—	10	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	—	11
	July 8	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	—	2	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	—	5*b*
	July 15	1	.	.	.	.	1	.	—	2	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	—	5*a*
City of Limerick	June 24	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	.
	July 1	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	.
	July 8	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	.
	July 15	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	.
City of Waterford	June 24	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	.	.
	July 1	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	.	.
	July 8	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	.	.
	July 15	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	.	.

(*a*) Not including 2 cases of Varicella. (*b*) Not including one case of Varicella.

TABLE IV.—Showing the NUMBER of CASES of the undermentioned DISEASES treated in Dublin Hospitals during the week ended Saturday, 15th July, 1922, with the number under treatment at the close of each of the last four weeks.

Diseases	No. of Cases in Hospital at close of week ended			Week ended 15th July.			
	June 24	July 1	July 8	No. admitted.	Dis-charged.	Died.	No. under treatment at close of week.
Enteric Fever, ...	3	3	3	2	.	.	5
Typhus, ...	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Small-pox, ...	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Measles, ...	24	29	27	10	14	.	23
Scarlet Fever, ...	53	51	50	15	6	.	59*
Diphtheria, ...	22	25	20	5	7	.	18
Pneumonia, ...	33	25	23	6	4	.	25

* Exclusive of 15 patients in "Beneavin," the Convalescent Home of Cork Street Fever Hospital.

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TWELVE TOWN DISTRICTS.

The Births and Deaths * registered in the Dublin Registration Area and in eleven provincial Urban Districts of the Irish Free State, with the annual rates per 1,000 of the population represented thereby, which, for the purposes of these Returns, is estimated at 662,256, are given in Table I. The deaths from all causes appertaining to the undermentioned areas for last week and for the past four weeks, respectively, were equal to the following annual rates per 1,000 of the population:—

Twelve Town Districts, ‡ 11·6 and 13·4; Dublin Registration Area, 11·7 and 14·1; Dublin City, 12·3 and 14·7; Cork, 11·6 and 11·6; and Waterford, 3·8 and 9·5.

The deaths* from certain epidemic diseases† registered in the 12 town districts ‡ during last week were equal to an annual rate of 0·3 per 1,000, and among the 17 deaths from all causes for Cork is one from diarrhoea and enteritis of a child under 2 years.

DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA.

In the Dublin Registration Area the total number of births registered during the week amounted to 300—154 boys and 146 girls—and the deaths to 109—56 males and 53 females.

The deaths registered, ommitting the deaths (numbering 13) of persons admitted to public institutions from localities outside the Dublin Registration Area, represent an annual rate of mortality of 11·7 per 1,000 of the population. During the twenty-nine weeks ending with Saturday last, the death-rate averaged 20·0 and was 1·6 below the mean rate for the corresponding portions of the ten years, 1912-1921. The rate for all deaths registered during the twenty-nine weeks was 21·6 and for the corresponding period of the preceeding ten years 23·2.

Included in the 96 deaths appertaining to the Area are one from enteric fever and one from measles. In the 3 preceding weeks, deaths from measles were one, 0 and 0. There were no deaths from enteric fever registered in the 3 preceding weeks.

There were 12 deaths from pneumonia, comprising 10 from broncho-penumonia, one from lobar pneumonia and one from pneumonia (not otherwise defined).

Tuberculous disease caused 17 deaths (including 14 from pulmonary tuberculosis, 2 from tuberculous meningitis, and one from tuberculosis of the skin), as against 16, 15, and 15 from all forms of tuberculous disease in the 3 weeks preceding.

Eleven deaths were caused by cancer, 6 by organic diseases of the heart, and 6 by bronchitis.

Three deaths by violence were registered, of which one was caused by a motor car, and there was one case of homicide.

Among deaths of infants under one year old, one was due to tuberculous meningitis, 2 to convulsions, 5 to broncho-pneumonia, one to congenital malformation, one to premature birth, and 5 to congenital debility.

Twenty-two of the deaths registered during the week, appertaining to the Area, were those of children under 5 years of age, 17 being infants under one year, of whom 7 were under one month old, and 21 deaths were those of persons aged 65 and upwards, of whom 13 were 70 years of age or over.

Of the 96 deaths recorded, 43 occurred in hospitals and other public institutions.

ENGLAND AND SCOTLAND.

The mortality among civilians for the week ended 22nd July, in 105 large English towns (including London in which the rate was 9·1) was equal to an average annual death rate of 9·2 per 1,000 of the estimated civil population.

The average death-rate for 16 principal towns of Scotland was 12·1 per 1,000 persons living, the rate for Glasgow being 11·3 and for Edinburgh 12·2.

* Exclusive of the deaths of persons admitted into public institutions from without the respective districts.
† Enteric fever, typhus, small-pox, measles, scarlet fever, whooping-cough, diphtheria, dysentery, and diarrhœal diseases.
‡ See Note (*h*) Table I.

TABLE I.—BIRTHS and DEATHS registered during the week ended Saturday, 22ND JULY, 1922, in the DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA, in each of the under-mentioned 11 CITIES OR URBAN DISTRICTS, and in BELFAST and LONDONDERRY CITIES (*exclusive of Births and Deaths in Public Institutions relating to Persons admitted from other Districts*), the Number of Deaths from some of the PRINCIPAL CAUSES, and the Number of Uncertified Deaths with the Temperature and Rainfall for the week; also particulars regarding Births, Deaths and Meteorology in London, Edinburgh, and Glasgow.

TOWNS AND DISTRICTS.	POPULATION. Total (a)	Persons to an Acre.	Annual Rate per 1,000 Persons Represented by BIRTHS.	DEATHS. From all Causes.	DEATHS. From certain Epidemic Diseases. (b)	REGISTRATION—WEEK ENDED SATURDAY, 22ND JULY, 1922. NUMBERS REGISTERED. BIRTHS. Total Number.	DEATHS. Total Number.	Under 1 year of Age.	At 65 years and upwards.	Caused by: Enteric Fever.	Typhus.	Small-pox.	Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Whooping-cough.	Diphtheria.	Dysentery.	Influenza.	Tuberculosis. Pulmonary.	Tuberculosis. Other Forms.	Cancer.	Diseases of the Respiratory System. Pneumonia.	Diseases of the Respiratory System. Other.	Diarrhœa and Enteritis of children under 2 years of age.	Diarrhœa, 2 years of age and upwards.	Violence.	Inquest Cases.	No. of Deaths in Public Institutions.	Number of Uncertified Deaths.	METEOROLOGY. (c) WEEK ENDED 22ND JULY, 1922. Air Temperature. Absolute Highest.	Absolute Lowest.	Mean Maximum (A).	Mean Minimum (B).	Mean of (A) and (B).	Rainfall in Inches.
COLS.	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)	(14)	(15)	(16)	(17)	(18)	(19)	(20)	(21)	(22)	(23)	(24)	(25)	(26)	(27)	(28)	(29)	(30)	(31)	(32)	(33)	(34)	(35)
TOTAL OF 12 TOWN (h) DISTRICTS ...	662,256	18·9	30·3	11·6	0·3	356	137	22	35	1	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	19	4	15	13	14	1	.	9	5	56	5	.	.	.	.	.	.
DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA	427,000	30·5	33·7	11·7	0·2	276	96	17	21	1	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	14	3	11	12	7	.	.	3	3	43	2	(d)70·0	41·9	65·0	47·7	56·4	0·20
Urban Districts. CITY OF DUBLIN	327,000	40·0	35·2	12·3	0·3	221	77	15	13	1	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	12	3	9	11	5	.	.	1	1	35	2	(e)70·2 (f)71·0	45·9 44·0	64·3 65·5	50·9 49·2	57·6 57·4	0·24 0·31
Urban Districts. RATHMINES and RATHGAR ...	41,500	24·2	21·4	13·8	.	17	11	.	5	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	2	.	1	.	.	2	2	4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Urban Districts. PEMBROKE ...	31,100	19·8	38·6	8·4	.	23	5	1	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Urban Districts. BLACKROCK ...	9,900	9·1	10·5	5·3	.	2	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Urban Districts. DÚN LAOGHAIRE	17,500	12·0	38.7	6·0	.	13	2	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	69	47	64·7	50·7	57·7	0·20
Urban Districts. CORK	76,673	28·6	27·2	11.6	0·7	40	17	3	4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	3	1	.	1	2	1	.	1	1	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Urban Districts. LIMERICK ...	38,518	16·1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Urban Districts. WATERFORD ...	27,464	19·1	7·6	3·8	.	4	2	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.
Urban Districts. GALWAY	13,255	2.5	The annual rates represented by the numbers of births and deaths registered for these urban districts will be shown in the Quarterly Summary of the Weekly Returns.			11	2	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Urban Districts. DUNDALK ...	13,128	9·5				8	5	1	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	2	.	2	.	.	.	.	3	1	.	.	.	.	.	.
Urban Districts. DROGHEDA ...	12,501	8·4				4	6	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.
Urban Districts. WEXFORD ...	11,531	22·8				5	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Urban Districts. SLIGO	11,163	2·8				4	7	.	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	4	.	7	.	63·0	40·0	61·0	48·0	54·5	0·35
Urban Districts. KILKENNY ...	10,514	11·4				1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	67	41	63·5	48	55·8	0·69
Urban Districts. TRALEE ...	10,300	17·4				3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Urban Districts. CLONMEL ...	10,209	4·8				.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
BELFAST CITY	425,000	24·3	27·6	10·2	0·5	225	83	14	21	.	.	.	1	.	.	1	.	.	6	.	6	8	5	2	.	8	8	21	1	69·0	50·0	66·3	52·5	59·4	0·21
LONDONDERRY CITY ...	46,000	36·3	37·4	11·3	.	33	10	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	1	.	.	.	1	1	4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
LONDON	4,514,405	—	—	9·1	.	1,908	785	68	294	.	.	.	9	5	5	16	—	—	63	19	119	45	35	11	3	34	76	407	2	79	46	69·6	51·0	60·3	0·19
EDINBURGH	420,486	—	—	12·2	1·1	177	98	14	33	.	.	.	4	1	1	1	—	—	—	—	—	18		2	—	5	—	—	—	65·0	46·0	62·3	49.6	55·9	0·30
GLASGOW	1,037,845	—	—	11·3	0·8	563g	224	34	59	.	.	.	3	.	6	.	—	—	—	—	—	29		7	—	8	—	—	—	64·3	47·7	62·4	50·9	56·6	0.26

(a) According to the Census of 1911, but in the cases of the Dublin Registration Area and its component parts, the population given is that estimated to the middle of 1922. The estimate shown for London relates to the civil population in 1921. The population for Glasgow and Edinburgh is that provisionally estimated to the middle of 1922. (b) See note (†) at foot of first page. (c) The observations shown for Cork were taken at Roche's Point, and those for Sligo at Markree. (d) Observations at Ordnance Survey Office, Phœnix Park. (e) Observations by Sir John Moore, taken at Fitzwilliam Square. (f) Observations taken at the Botanic Gardens, Glasnevin. (g) Including one death from Cerebro-spinal Meningitis. (h) Exclusive of Limerick and Clonmel, returns for which have not been received.

TABLE II.—Showing for the WEEK ENDED 22ND JULY, 1922, the number of DEATHS of Residents of the several REGISTRARS' DISTRICTS in the DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA, and in the CITY OF CORK, the annual Rate per 1,000 of the Population of the respective Districts represented thereby, and by the Deaths from the principal Epidemic Diseases†; with the mortality from some of the principal causes; also the Deaths at certain age-periods, and the number of Uncertified Deaths, *the Deaths in Public Institutions being assigned to the Districts from which the deceased were admitted.*

WEEK ENDED SATURDAY 22ND JULY, 1922.

REGISTRARS' DISTRICTS, &c.	Estimated Population middle of 1922.*	Annual Rate of Mortality per 1,000 Living represented by Deaths. From all causes	From certain Epidemic Diseases†	Total Deaths.	Deaths. Under 1 year.	1 and under 2.	2 and under 5.	5 and under 15.	15 and under 25.	25 and under 45.	45 and under 65.	65 and upwards.	Caused by Enteric Fever.	Typhus.	Small-pox.	Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Whooping-cough.	Diphtheria.	Dysentery.	Influenza.	Tuberculosis. Pulmonary.	Other Forms.	Cancer.	Diseases of Respiratory System. Pneumonia.	Other.	Diarrhœa and Enteritis of Children under 2 years.	Diarrhœa, 2 years and upwards.	Violence.	Other Causes.	Inquest Cases.	In Institutions. In Hospitals, Prisons and Lunatic Asylums.	In Workhouse Hospitals.	Number of Uncertified Deaths.
Cols.	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)	(14)	(15)	(16)	(17)	(18)	(19)	(20)	(21)	(22)	(23)	(24)	(25)	(26)	(27)	(28)	(29)	(30)	(31)	(32)	(33)	34)
DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA.																																		
Dublin City Districts. North City, No. 1, E.	31,600	9·9	.	6	1	.	1	.	.	2	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	—	.	1	1	.	.	.	3	.	3	.	.
" 1, W.	43,300	7·2	.	6	1	.	.	2	.	1	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	1	.	.	.	.	3	.	2	.	.
" 2	29,000	12·6	.	7	1	.	1	.	1	1	1	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	4	.	4	.	.
" 3	35,900	4·4	.	3	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	1	.
Clontarf and Howth, No. 1, part of	5,800	9·0	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.
Coolock and Drumcondra, part of	14,300	21·9	3·6	6	.	.	.	.	1	3	2	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	3	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.
Finglas and Glasnevin, part of	11,700	8·9	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.
South City, No. 1	45,300	21·9	1·2	19	6	1	1	1	2	3	3	2	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	5	2	1	2	.	.	.	1	7	1	5	3	1
" 2	19,100	8·2	.	3	.	.	1	.	.	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	1	.
" 3	45,600	14·9	.	13	4	.	.	.	1	.	7	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	2	1	2	.	.	.	7	.	3	3	1
" 4	34,500	13·6	.	9	1	.	.	.	1	2	1	4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	2	1	.	.	.	4	.	3	3	.
New Kilmainham	10,900	9·6	.	2	.	.	.	1	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	1	.
Urban Districts. Rathmines and Rathgar	41,500	13·8	.	11	.	.	.	.	1	3	2	5	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	2	.	1	.	.	2	5	2	3	1	.
Pembroke	31,100	8·4	.	5	1	.	.	.	.	.	2	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	3	.	2	1	.
Blackrock	9,900	5·3	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.
Dún Laoghaire	17,500	6·0	.	2	1	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	1	.
Total City of Dublin	327,000	12·3	0·3	77	15	1	4	5	6	12	21	13	1	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	12	3	9	11	5	.	.	1	34	1	23	12	2
Total Urban Districts	100,000	9·9	.	19	2	.	.	.	1	3	5	8	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	2	1	2	.	.	2	10	2	5	3	.
Total Dublin Registration Area	427,000	11·7	0·2	96	17	1	4	5	7	15	26	21	1	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	14	3	11	12	7	.	.	3	44	3	28	15	2
Deaths relating to residents of localities situated outside the Registration Area (not included in above)				13	.	.	.	2	1	2	5	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	3	1	1	.	.	.	6	.	12	1	.
CITY OF CORK.																																		
Cork City Districts. Cork Urban, No. 1	13,455	15·5	3.9	4	1	.	.	.	.	1	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	1	.	1	.	.
" 2	10,399	25·1	.	5	1	.	.	1	.	.	1	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	1	3	1	1	.	.
" 3	9,793	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
" 4	9,139	5·7	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
" 5	6,250	8·3	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
" 6	11,581	9·0	.	2	.	.	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	.	.
" 7	16,056	13·0	.	4	.	.	1	1	.	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	1	.	.	.	2	.	1	.	.
Total City of Cork	76,673	11·6	0.7	17	3	1		4		1	4	4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	3	1	.	1	2	1	.	1	8	1	3		.

* The populations given for the City of Cork and its component parts are those according to the Census of 1911. † See note (†) at foot of first page.

TABLE III.—Showing the NUMBER of CASES of INFECTIOUS DISEASES notified in the Dublin Registration Area (viz. :—the City of Dublin, and the Urban Districts of Rathmines and Rathgar, Pembroke, Blackrock and Dún Laoghaire), and in the Cities of Cork, Limerick, and Waterford, during the week ended 22nd July, 1922, and each of the preceding three weeks, as furnished by the respective Sanitary Authorities. A dash (—) denotes that the disease in question is not notifiable in the District.

Cities and Urban Districts.	Week ending	Enteric Fever.	Typhus.	Pyrexia—Continued Fever.	Relapsing Fever.	Small-pox.	Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Whooping-cough.	Diphtheria (including Membranous Croup).	Erysipelas.	Puerperal Fever.	Diarrhœal Diseases.	Dysentery.	Malaria.	Trench Fever	Acute Primary Pneumonia and Acute Influenzal Pneumonia.	Cerebro-spinal Fever	Acute Poliomyelitis	Encephalitis Lethargica	Tuberculosis.	Total.
City of Dublin	July 1	.	.	.	.	.	—	7	—	5	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	7	19
	July 8	.	.	.	.	.	—	8	—	2	2	.	—	.	.	.	8	.	.	—	14	34
	July 15	2	.	.	.	.	—	8	—	1	2	.	—	.	.	.	3	.	.	—	2	18
	July 22	.	.	.	.	.	—	3	—	4	1	.	—	.	.	.	3	.	.	—	12	23
Rathmines & Rathgar Urban District	July 1	.	.	.	.	.	—	1	—	2	.	.	—	.	.	.	2	.	.	—	—	5
	July 8	.	.	.	.	.	—	1	—	.	1	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	2
	July 15	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	.
	July 22	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	1	.	—	.	.	.	2	.	.	—	—	3
Pembroke Urban District	July 1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.
	July 8	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	1	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	2
	July 15	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.
	July 22	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	1
Blackrock Urban District	July 1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.
	July 8	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.
	July 15	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.
	July 22	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.
Dún Laoghaire Urban District	July 1	.	.	.	.	.	—	1	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	1
	July 8	.	.	.	.	.	—	1	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	1
	July 15	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.
	July 22	.	.	.	.	.	—	2	—	2	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	4
City of Cork	July 1	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	—	10	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	—	11
	July 8	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	—	2	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	—	5*a*
	July 15	1	.	.	.	.	1	.	—	2	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	—	5*b*
	July 22	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	9	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	—	10
City of Limerick	July 1	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	.
	July 8	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	.
	July 15	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	.
	July 22	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	.
City of Waterford	July 1	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	.	.
	July 8	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	.	.
	July 15	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	.	.
	July 22	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	.	.

(*a*) Not including one case of Varicella. (*b*) Not including 2 cases of Varicella.

TABLE IV.—Showing the NUMBER of CASES of the undermentioned DISEASES treated in Dublin Hospitals during the week ended Saturday, 22nd July, 1922, with the number under treatment at the close of each of the last four weeks.

Diseases	No. of Cases in Hospital at close of week ended			Week ended 22nd July.			
	July 1	July 8	July 15	No. admitted.	Dis-charged.	Died.	No. under treatment at close of week.
Enteric Fever, ...	3	3	5	.	1	.	4
Typhus, ...	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Small-pox, ...	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Measles, ...	29	27	23	14	7	1	29
Scarlet Fever,..	51	50	59	3	12	.	50*
Diphtheria, ...	25	20	18	7	5	.	20
Pneumonia, ...	25	23	25	12	5	2	30

* Exclusive of 14 patients in "Beneavin," the Convalescent Home of Cork Street Fever Hospital.

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AND IN

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TWELVE TOWN DISTRICTS.

The Births and Deaths * registered in the Dublin Registration Area and in eleven provincial Urban Districts of the Irish Free State, with the annual rates per 1,000 of the population represented thereby, which, for the purposes of these Returns, is estimated at 662,256, are given in Table I. The deaths from all causes appertaining to the undermentioned areas for last week and for the past four weeks, respectively, were equal to the following annual rates per 1,000 of the population:—

Twelve Town Districts, 12·4 and 13·5; Dublin Registration Area, 11·1 and 14·2; Dublin City, 9·7 and 14·3; Cork, 6·8 and 10·4; Limerick, 31·1 and 14·2; and Waterford, 24·7 and 14·3.

The deaths* from certain epidemic diseases† registered in the 12 town districts during last week were equal to an annual rate of 0·6 per 1,000. Among the 23 deaths from all causes for Limerick are 2 from measles, and among the 9 deaths for Galway is one from diarrhœa and enteritis of a child under 2 years.

DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA.

In the Dublin Registration Area the total number of births registered during the week amounted to 202—105 boys and 97 girls—and the deaths to 98—51 males and 47 females.

The deaths registered, ommitting the deaths (numbering 7) of persons admitted to public institutions from localities outside the Dublin Registration Area, represent an annual rate of mortality of 11·1 per 1,000 of the population. During the thirty weeks ending with Saturday last, the death-rate averaged 19·7 and was 1·7 below the mean rate for the corresponding portions of the ten years, 1912-1921. The rate for all deaths registered during the thirty weeks was 21·3 and for the corresponding period of the preceding ten years 23·0.

Included in the 91 deaths appertaining to the Area are two from whooping-cough, one from diphtheria, one from influenza, and one from diarrhœa and enteritis of a child under 2 years. In the 3 preceding weeks, deaths from whooping-cough were one, one and 0; deaths from diphtheria one, 0 and 0; deaths from influenza 0, one and 0, and deaths from diarrhœa and enteritis of children under 2 years one, 6 and 0.

There were 6 deaths from pneumonia, comprising one from broncho-pneumonia, 2 from lobar pneumonia and 3 from pneumonia (not otherwise defined).

Tuberculous disease caused 10 deaths (including 6 from pulmonary tuberculosis, 3 from tuberculous meningitis, and one from tuberculosis of the bladder), as against 15, 15, and 17 from all forms of tuberculous disease in the 3 weeks preceding.

Eight deaths were caused by cancer, 10 by organic diseases of the heart, and 5 by bronchitis.

Five deaths by violence were registered, of which one was caused by a train and two by gunshot wounds, and there was one case of suicide.

Among deaths of infants under one year old, one was due to whooping-cough, one to diphtheria, one to bronchitis, one to diarrhœa and enteritis, one to congenital malformation, and 4 to congenital debility.

Seventeen of the deaths registered during the week, appertaining to the Area, were those of children under 5 years of age, 13 being infants under one year, of whom 5 were under one month old, and 24 deaths were those of persons aged 65 and upwards, of whom 14 were 70 years of age or over.

Of the 91 deaths recorded, 42 occurred in hospitals and other public institutions.

ENGLAND AND SCOTLAND.

The mortality among civilians for the week ended 29th July, in 105 large English towns (including London in which the rate was 9·0) was equal to an average annual death rate of 9·2 per 1,000 of the estimated civil population.

The average death-rate for 16 principal towns of Scotland was 11·5 per 1,000 persons living, the rate for Glasgow being 11·1 and for Edinburgh 11·9.

* Exclusive of the deaths of persons admitted into public institutions from without the respective districts.
† Enteric fever, typhus, small-pox, measles, scarlet fever, whooping-cough, diphtheria, dysentery, and diarrhœal diseases.

TABLE I.—BIRTHS and DEATHS registered during the week ended Saturday, 29TH JULY, 1922, in the DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA, in each of the under-mentioned 11 CITIES OR URBAN DISTRICTS, and in BELFAST and LONDONDERRY CITIES (*exclusive of Births and Deaths in Public Institutions relating to Persons admitted from other Districts*), the Number of Deaths from some of the PRINCIPAL CAUSES, and the Number of Uncertified Deaths with the Temperature and Rainfall for the week; also particulars regarding Births, Deaths and Meteorology in London, Edinburgh, and Glasgow.

TOWNS AND DISTRICTS.	POPULATION. Total (a)	Persons to an Acre.	REGISTRATION—WEEK ENDED SATURDAY, 29TH JULY, 1922. Annual Rate per 1,000 Persons Represented by BIRTHS	DEATHS. From all Causes.	DEATHS. From certain Epidemic Diseases. (b)	NUMBERS REGISTERED. BIRTHS Total Number	DEATHS. Total Number.	Under 1 year of Age.	At 65 years and upwards.	Caused by Enteric Fever.	Typhus.	Small-pox.	Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Whooping-cough.	Diphtheria.	Dysentery.	Influenza.	Tuberculosis. Pulmonary.	Other Forms.	Cancer.	Diseases of the Respiratory System. Pneumonia.	Other.	Diarrhœa and Enteritis of children under 2 years of age.	Diarrhœa, 2 years of age and upwards.	Violence.	Inquest Cases.	No. of Deaths in Public Institutions.	Number of Uncertified Deaths.	METEOROLOGY. (c) WEEK ENDED 29TH JULY, 1922. Air Temperature. Absolute Highest.	Absolute Lowest.	Mean Maximum (A).	Mean Minimum (B).	Mean of (A) and (B).	Rainfall in Inches.
COLS.	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)	(14)	(15)	(16)	(17)	(18)	(19)	(20)	(21)	(22)	(23)	(24)	(25)	(26)	(27)	(28)	(29)	(30)	(31)	(32)	(33)	(34)	(35)
TOTAL OF 12 TOWN (h) DISTRICTS ...	662,256	18·9	21·7	12·4	0·6	275	157	19	47	.	.	.	2	.	2	1	.	1	13	7	10	11	12	2	.	10	5	67	8	.	.	.	.	.	.
DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA	427,000	30·5	22·6	11·1	0·5	185	91	13	24	.	.	.	.	.	2	1	.	1	6	4	8	6	5	1	.	5	4	42	1	(d)71·2	40·0	66·4	48·4	57·4	0·42
Urban Districts. CITY OF DUBLIN	327,000	40·0	24·4	9·7	0·2	153	61	8	13	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	4	3	8	4	4	.	.	3	2	29	1	(e)70·1 (f)72·0	48·7 44·0	65·9 66·4	53·2 50·8	59·6 58·6	0·43 0·44
RATHMINES and RATHGAR ...	41,500	24·2	15·1	7·5	1·3	12	6	2	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	1	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
PEMBROKE ...	31,100	19·8	18·4	20·1	3·4	11	12	2	4	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	.	1	1	.	1	.	.	.	1	1	5	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
BLACKROCK ...	9,900	9·1	5·3	10·5	.	1	2	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
DÚN LAOGHAIRE	17,500	12·0	23·8	29·8	.	8	10	1	4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	5	.	69	48	63·5	51·5	57·5	0·45
Urban Districts. CORK	76,673	28·6	23·1	6·8	.	34	10	1	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	1	2	.	2	.	.	1	.	4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
LIMERICK ...	38,518	16·1	20·3	31·1	2·7	15	23	.	11	.	.	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	2	5	.	.	.	.	13	4	.	.	.	.	.	.
WATERFORD ...	27,464	19·1	17·1	24·7	.	9	13	1	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	1	.	.	.	3	1	6	1	.	.	.	.	.	.
GALWAY	13,255	2.5	The annual rates			6	9	3	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	2	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	63 ·	45	62	49	55·5	0·98
DUNDALK ...	13,128	9·5	represented by the			5	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
DROGHEDA ...	12,501	8·4	numbers of births			5	2	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.
WEXFORD ...	11,531	22·8	and deaths regis-			5	5	1	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.
SLIGO	11,163	2·8	tered for these			3	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	65	39	64	48	56·0	0·90
KILKENNY ...	10,514	11·4	urban districts will			3	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
TRALEE ...	10,300	17·4	be shown in the			5	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
CLONMEL	10,209	4·8	Quarterly Summary of the Weekly Returns.			.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
BELFAST CITY	425,000	24·3	26·6	12·0	0·1	217	98	19	27	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	1	8	1	7	10	6	.	.	8	8	20	2	70·0	49·0	66·3	52·1	59·2	1·24
LONDONDERRY CITY ...	46,000	36·3	32·9	11·3	1·1	29	10	3	2	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	2	.	.	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
LONDON	4,514,405	—	—	9·0	—	1,874	782	92	234	1	.	.	9	5	6	19	—	—	61	18	134	48	39	913	.	29	65	398	2	77	48	71·6	52·1	61·9	0·19
EDINBURGH	420,486	—	—	11·9	—	184	96	10	22	.	.	.	2	.	3	2	—	—	—	—	—	8		.	—	5	—	—	—	68·0	46·0	60·9	47·9	54·4	0·27
GLASGOW	1,037,845	—	—	11·1	—	530	221	37	44	.	.	.	1	1	1	2	—	—	—	—	—	15		6	—	7	—	—	—	64·0	48·1	60·9	49·8	55·3	0·71

(a) According to the Census of 1911, but in the cases of the Dublin Registration Area and its component parts, the population given is that estimated to the middle of 1922. The estimate shown for London relates to the civil population in 1921. The population for Glasgow and Edinburgh is that provisionally estimated to the middle of 1922. (b) See note (†) at foot of first page. (c) The observations shown for Cork were taken at Roche's Point, and those for Sligo at Markree. (d) Observations at Ordnance Survey Office, Phœnix Park. (e) Observations by Sir John Moore, taken at Fitzwilliam Square. (f) Observations taken at the Botanic Gardens, Glasnevin.

TABLE II.—Showing for the WEEK ENDED 29TH JULY, 1922, the number of DEATHS of Residents of the several REGISTRARS' DISTRICTS in the DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA, and in the CITY OF CORK, the annual Rate per 1,000 of the Population of the respective Districts represented thereby, and by the Deaths from the principal Epidemic Diseases†; with the mortality from some of the principal causes; also the Deaths at certain age-periods, and the number of Uncertified Deaths, *the Deaths in Public Institutions being assigned to the Districts from which the deceased were admitted.*

WEEK ENDED SATURDAY 29TH JULY, 1922.

REGISTRARS' DISTRICTS, &c.	Estimated Population middle of 1922.*	Annual Rate of Mortality per 1,000 Living represented by Deaths. From all causes	From certain Epidemic Diseases†	Total Deaths.	Under 1 year.	1 and under 2.	2 and under 5.	5 and under 15.	15 and under 25.	25 and under 45.	45 and under 65.	65 and upwards.	Enteric Fever.	Typhus.	Small-pox.	Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Whooping-cough.	Diphtheria.	Dysentery.	Influenza.	Tuberculosis. Pulmonary.	Tuberculosis. Other Forms.	Cancer.	Diseases of Respiratory System. Pneumonia.	Diseases of Respiratory System. Other.	Diarrhœa and Enteritis of Children under 2 years.	Diarrhœa, 2 years and upwards.	Violence.	Other Causes.	Inquest Cases.	In Institutions. In Hospitals, Prisons and Lunatic Asylums.	In Institutions. In Workhouse Hospitals.	Number of Uncertified Deaths.
Cols.	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)	(14)	(15)	(16)	(17)	(18)	(19)	(20)	(21)	(22)	(23)	(24)	(25)	(26)	(27)	(28)	(29)	(30)	(31)	(32)	(33)	34)
DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA.																																		
Dublin City Districts. North City, No. 1, E.	31,600	13·2	.	8	1	.	.	.	.	1	4	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	2	1	2	.	.	.	2	.	2	1	.
" 1, W.	43,300	9·6	.	8	3	.	1	.	.	2	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	1	.	.	.	5	.	2	.	.
" 2	29,000	9·0	.	5	.	.	1	.	1	.	2	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	3	.	2	.	.
" 3	35,900	7·3	.	5	.	.	.	1	1	1	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	.	.	1	2	.	2	.	.
Clontarf and Howth, No. 1, part of	5,800	18·0	.	2	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.
Coolock and Drumcondra, part of	14,300	7·3	.	2	1	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	.	.
Finglas and Glasnevin, part of	11,700	4·5	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.
South City, No. 1	45,300	13·8	1·2	12	2	.	1	.	2	2	4	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	2	8	2	7	.	1
" 2	19,100	19·1	.	7	1	.	.	.	.	2	2	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	5	.	2	3	.
" 3	45,600	5·7	.	5	.	.	.	.	.	2	2	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	2	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	2	.	.
" 4	34,500	9·1	.	6	.	.	.	.	1	.	2	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	2	.	.	.	.	.	3	.	3	1	.
New Kilmainham	10,900	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Urban Districts. Rathmines and Rathgar	41,500	7·5	1·3	6	2	.	.	.	.	1	2	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	4	1	2	.	.
Pembroke	31,100	20·1	3·4	12	2	.	1	.	1	3	1	4	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	.	1	1	.	1	.	.	.	1	6	1	4	1	.
Blackrock	9,900	10·5	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	1	.
Dún Laoghaire	17,500	29·8	.	10	1	.	.	.	.	2	3	4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	.	1	1	.	.	.	6	.	.	5	.
Total City of Dublin	327,000	9·7	0·2	61	8	.	3	2	5	10	20	13	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	4	3	8	4	4	.	.	3	34	2	24	5	1
Total Urban Districts	100,000	15·6	1·6	30	5	.	1	.	1	6	6	11	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	1	2	1	.	2	1	1	.	2	18	2	6	7	.
Total Dublin Registration Area	427,000	11·1	0·5	91	13	.	4	2	6	16	26	24	.	.	.	.	.	2	1	.	1	6	4	8	6	5	1	.	5	52	4	30	12	1
Deaths relating to residents of localities situated outside the Registration Area (not included in above)				7	1	.	.	.	2	.	3	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	1	5	1	7	.	.
CITY OF CORK.																																		
Cork City Districts. Cork Urban, No. 1	13,455	11·6	.	3	.		.	1		1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	1		.
" 2	10,399	5·0	.	1	.		.	1		.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	1		.
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" 7	16,056	16·2	.	5	1		.	1		.	2	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	1	.	.	.	2	.	1		.
Total City of Cork	76,673	6·8	.	10	1		.	3		1	2	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	1	2	.	2	.	.	1	2	.	4		.

* The populations given for the City of Cork and its component parts are those according to the Census of 1911. † See note (†) at foot of first page.

TABLE III.—Showing the NUMBER of CASES of INFECTIOUS DISEASES notified in the Dublin Registration Area (viz. :—the City of Dublin, and the Urban Districts of Rathmines and Rathgar, Pembroke, Blackrock and Dún Laoghaire), and in the Cities of Cork, Limerick, and Waterford, during the week ended 29th July, 1922, and each of the preceding three weeks, as furnished by the respective Sanitary Authorities. A dash (—) denotes that the disease in question is not notifiable in the District.

Cities and Urban Districts.	Week ending	Enteric Fever.	Typhus.	Pyrexia—Continued Fever.	Relapsing Fever.	Small-pox.	Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Whooping-cough.	Diphtheria (including Membranous Croup).	Erysipelas.	Puerperal Fever.	Diarrhœal Diseases.	Dysentery.	Malaria.	Trench Fever.	Acute Primary Pneumonia and Acute Influenzal Pneumonia.	Cerebro-spinal Fever.	Acute Poliomyelitis.	Encephalitis Lethargica.	Tuberculosis.	Total.
City of Dublin	July 8	.	.	.	.	.	—	8	—	2	2	.	—	.	.	.	8	.	.	—	14	34
	July 15	2	.	.	.	.	—	8	—	1	2	.	—	.	.	.	3	.	.	—	2	18
	July 22	.	.	.	.	.	—	3	—	4	1	.	—	.	.	.	3	.	.	—	12	23
	July 29	.	.	.	.	.	—	8	—	6	.	1	—	.	.	.	4	.	.	—	2	21
Rathmines & Rathgar Urban District	July 8	.	.	.	.	.	—	1	—	.	1	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	2
	July 15	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	.
	July 22	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	1	.	—	.	.	.	2	.	.	—	—	3
	July 29	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	.
Pembroke Urban District	July 8	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	1	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	2
	July 15	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.
	July 22	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	1
	July 29	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	2
Blackrock Urban District	July 8	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.
	July 22	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.
	July 29	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.
Dún Laoghaire Urban District	July 8	.	.	.	.	.	—	1	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	1
	July 15	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.
	July 22	.	.	.	.	.	—	2	—	2	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	4
	July 29	.	.	.	.	.	—	3	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	3
City of Cork	July 8	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	—	2	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	—	5*a*
	July 15	1	.	.	.	.	1	.	—	2	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	—	5*b*
	July 22	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	9	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	—	10
	July 29	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	6	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	—	6
City of Limerick	July 8	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	.
	July 15	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	.
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	July 29	1	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	1
City of Waterford	July 8	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	.	.
	July 15	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	.	.
	July 22	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	.	.
	July 29	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	.	.

(*a*) Not including one case of Varicella. (*b*) Not including 2 cases of Varicella.

TABLE IV.—Showing the NUMBER of CASES of the undermentioned DISEASES treated in Dublin Hospitals during the week ended Saturday, 29th July, 1922, with the number under treatment at the close of each of the last four weeks.

Diseases	No. of Cases in Hospital at close of week ended			Week ended 29th July.			
	July 8	July 15	July 22	No. admitted.	Discharged.	Died.	No. under treatment at close of week.
Enteric Fever, ...	3	5	4	1	.	.	5
Typhus, ...	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Small-pox, ...	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Measles, ...	27	23	29	7	11	.	25
Scarlet Fever, ...	50	59	50	10	16	.	44*
Diphtheria, ...	20	18	20	8	5	1	22
Pneumonia, ...	23	25	30	2	13	.	19

* Exclusive of 15 patients in "Beneavin," the Convalescent Home of Cork Street Fever Hospital.

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TWELVE TOWN DISTRICTS.

The Births and Deaths * registered in the Dublin Registration Area and in eleven provincial Urban Districts of the Irish Free State, with the annual rates per 1,000 of the population represented thereby, which, for the purposes of these Returns, is estimated at 662,256, are given in Table I. The deaths from all causes appertaining to the undermentioned areas for last week and for the past four weeks, respectively, were equal to the following annual rates per 1,000 of the population:—

Twelve Town Districts,‡ 11·6 and 12·7; Dublin Registration Area, 10·3 and 12·7; Dublin City, 11·2 and 12·8; Cork, 12·9 and 10·7; Limerick, 23·0 and 14·9; and Waterford, 19·0 and 15·2.

The deaths* from certain epidemic diseases† registered in the 12 town districts ‡ during last week were equal to an annual rate of 0·6 per 1,000. Among the 17 deaths from all causes for Limerick is one from influenza, and one of the 6 deaths from all causes for Kilkenny is from the same disease.

DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA.

In the Dublin Registration Area the total number of births registered during the week amounted to 227—107 boys and 120 girls—and the deaths to 98—50 males and 48 females.

The deaths registered, omitting the deaths (numbering 14) of persons admitted to public institutions from localities outside the Dublin Registration Area, represent an annual rate of mortality of 10·3 per 1,000 of the population. During the thirty-one weeks ending with Saturday last, the death-rate averaged 19·4 and was 1·8 below the mean rate for the corresponding portions of the ten years, 1912-1921. The rate for all deaths registered during the thirty-one weeks was 21·0 and for the corresponding period of the preceding ten years 22·8.

Included in the 84 deaths appertaining to the Area are one from measles, 2 from diphtheria, and 3 from diarrhœa and enteritis of children under 2 years. In the 3 preceding weeks, deaths from measles were 0, one and 0; deaths from diphtheria 0, 0 and one; and deaths from diarrhœa and enteritis of children under 2 years 6, 0 and one.

There were 4 deaths from pneumonia, comprising 3 from broncho-pneumonia and one from lobar pneumonia.

Tuberculous disease caused 18 deaths (including 15 from pulmonary tuberculosis, one from tuberculous meningitis, and 2 from other forms of tuberculosis), as against 15, 17, and 10 from all forms of tuberculous disease in the 3 weeks preceding.

Five deaths were caused by cancer, 8 by organic diseases of the heart, and 5 by bronchitis.

Nine deaths were assigned to violence, including one death caused by burns (that of a child aged 2 years), and one by a motor car.

Among deaths of infants under one year old, one was due to diphtheria, one to tuberculous meningitis, one to convulsions, one to broncho-pneumonia, 3 to diarrhœa and enteritis, and 3 to congenital debility.

Eighteen of the deaths registered during the week, appertaining to the Area, were those of children under 5 years of age, 11 being infants under one year, of whom 2 were under one month old, and 20 deaths were those of persons aged 65 and upwards, of whom 13 were 70 years of age or over.

Of the 84 deaths recorded, 43 occurred in hospitals and other public institutions.

ENGLAND AND SCOTLAND.

The mortality among civilians for the week ended 5th August, in 105 large English towns (including London in which the rate was 9·2) was equal to an average annual death rate of 9·3 per 1,000 of the estimated civil population.

The average death-rate for 16 principal towns of Scotland was 10·9 per 1,000 persons living, the rate for Glasgow being 11·3 and for Edinburgh 9·2.

* Exclusive of the deaths of persons admitted into public institutions from without the respective districts.
† Enteric fever, typhus, small-pox, measles, scarlet fever, whooping-cough, diphtheria, dysentery, and diarrhœal diseases.
‡ See Note (*h*) Table I.

Table I.—BIRTHS and DEATHS registered during the week ended Saturday, 5th August, 1922, in the Dublin Registration Area, in each of the under-mentioned 11 Cities or Urban Districts, and in Belfast and Londonderry Cities (*exclusive of Births and Deaths in Public Institutions relating to Persons admitted from other Districts*), the Number of Deaths from some of the Principal Causes, and the Number of Uncertified Deaths with the Temperature and Rainfall for the week; also particulars regarding Births, Deaths and Meteorology in London, Edinburgh, and Glasgow.

Towns and Districts.	Population. Total (a)	Population. Persons to an Acre.	Annual Rate per 1,000 Persons Represented by Births	Annual Rate per 1,000 Persons Represented by Deaths. From all Causes.	Annual Rate per 1,000 Persons Represented by Deaths. From certain Epidemic Diseases. (b)	Registration—Week ended Saturday, 5th August, 1922. Numbers Registered. Births. Total Number	Deaths. Total Number.	Deaths. Under 1 year of Age.	Deaths. At 65 years and upwards.	Caused by: Enteric Fever.	Typhus.	Small-pox.	Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Whooping-cough.	Diphtheria.	Dysentery.	Influenza.	Tuberculosis. Pulmonary.	Tuberculosis. Other Forms.	Cancer.	Diseases of the Respiratory System. Pneumonia.	Diseases of the Respiratory System. Other.	Diarrhœa and Enteritis of children under 2 years of age.	Diarrhœa, 2 years of age and upwards.	Violence.	Inquest Cases.	No. of Deaths in Public Institutions.	Number of Uncertified Deaths.	Meteorology. (c) Week ended 5th August, 1922. Air Temperature. Absolute Highest.	Absolute Lowest.	Mean Maximum (A).	Mean Minimum (B).	Mean of (A) and (B).	Rainfall in Inches.
Cols.	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)	(14)	(15)	(16)	(17)	(18)	(19)	(20)	(21)	(22)	(23)	(24)	(25)	(26)	(27)	(28)	(29)	(30)	(31)	(32)	(33)	(34)	(35)
Total of 12 Town (h) Districts ...	662,256	18·9	25·4	11·6	0·6	323	147	22	35	.	.	.	1	.	.	2	.	2	18	6	10	9	11	5	.	16	6	70	8	.	.	.	.	.	.
Dublin Registration Area	427,000	30·5	25·9	10·3	0·7	212	84	11	20	.	.	.	1	.	.	2	.	.	15	3	5	4	6	3	.	9	5	43	1	(d)66·5	43·6	63·6	49·1	56·4	0·65
Urban Districts. City of Dublin	327,000	40·0	26·5	11·2	1·0	166	70	11	15	.	.	.	1	.	.	2	.	.	12	3	4	3	5	3	.	8	5	36	1	(e)66·2 (f)66·0	48·8 45·0	62·9 63·3	51·6 50·5	57·3 56·9	0·69 0·97
Urban Districts. Rathmines and Rathgar ...	41,500	24·2	25·1	8·8	.	20	7	.	3	.	.	.	..	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	1	.	.	.	1	.	4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Urban Districts. Pembroke ...	31,100	19·8	31·9	6·7	.	19	4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Urban Districts. Blackrock ...	9,900	9·1	5·3	5·3	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Urban Districts. Dún Laoghaire	17,500	12·0	17·9	6·0	.	6	2	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	72	49	64·5	51·0	57·8	0·30
Urban Districts. Cork	76,673	28·6	20·4	12·9	.	30	19	2	5	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	3	1	1	1	2	.	.	1	1	13	1	.	.	.	.	.	.
Urban Districts. Limerick ...	38,518	16·1	42·0	23·0	.	31	17	1	4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	2	2	2	.	.	5	.	7	4	.	.	.	.	.	.
Urban Districts. Waterford ...	27,464	19·1	38·0	19·0	1·9	20	10	4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	1	1	.	1	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Urban Districts. Galway	13,255	2.5	The annual rates represented by the numbers of births and deaths registered for these urban districts will be shown in the Quarterly Summary of the Weekly Returns.			4	4	1	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Urban Districts. Dundalk ...	13,128	9·5				3	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Urban Districts. Drogheda ...	12,501	8·4				9	3	2	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	2	.	.	.	.	.	.
Urban Districts. Wexford ...	11,531	22·8				6	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Urban Districts. Sligo	11,163	2·8				7	2	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	70·0	46·0	63·0	48·0	55·5	0·61
Urban Districts. Kilkenny ...	10,514	11·4				1	6	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	3	.	65	47	61·7	49·7	55·7	1·23
Urban Districts. Tralee ...	10,300	17·4				.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Urban Districts. Clonmel	10,209	4·8				.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Belfast City	425,000	24·3	23·8	12·5	0·6	194	102	23	28	.	.	.	.	1	1	2	.	2	6	4	6	13	11	.	1	6	10	21	5	68·0	40·0	64·2	51·3	57·8	0·55
Londonderry City ...	46,000	36·3	39·7	11·3	2·3	35	10	2	1	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
London	4,514,405	—	—	9·2	—	1,934	797	79	282	.	.	1	8	2	5	15	—	—	78	11	121	43	52	5	2	43	78	413	1	73	46	69·9	51·6	60·8	0·52
Edinburgh	420,500	—	—	9·2	0·4	165	74	10	24	.	.	.	2	.	1	.	—	1	—	—	—	8		.	—	6	—	—	—	68·0	47·0	61·0	47·9	54·4	0·04
Glasgow	1,037,800	—	—	11·3	0·8	528	225g	39	63	.	.	.	4	.	3	3	—	1	—	—	—	23		6	—	10	—	—	—	63·0	44·2	60·3	48·1	54·2	0·24

(a) According to the Census of 1911, but in the cases of the Dublin Registration Area and its component parts, the population given is that estimated to the middle of 1922. The estimate shown for London relates to the civil population in 1921. The population for Glasgow and Edinburgh is that estimated to the middle of 1922. (b) See note (†) at foot of first page. (c) The observations shown for Cork were taken at Roche's Point, and those for Sligo at Markree. (d) Observations at Ordnance Survey Office, Phœnix Park. (e) Observations by Sir John Moore, taken at Fitzwilliam Square. (f) Observations taken at the Botanic Gardens, Glasnevin. (g) Including one death from cerebro-spinal meningitis. (h) Exclusive of Tralee and Clonmel, returns for which have not been received.

TABLE II.—Showing for the WEEK ENDED 5TH AUGUST, 1922, the number of DEATHS of Residents of the several REGISTRARS' DISTRICTS in the DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA, and in the CITY OF CORK, the annual Rate per 1,000 of the Population of the respective Districts represented thereby, and by the Deaths from the principal Epidemic Diseases†; with the mortality from some of the principal causes; also the Deaths at certain age-periods, and the number of Uncertified Deaths, *the Deaths in Public Institutions being assigned to the Districts from which the deceased were admitted.*

WEEK ENDED SATURDAY 5TH AUGUST, 1922.

REGISTRARS' DISTRICTS, &c.	Estimated Population middle of 1922.*	Annual Rate of Mortality per 1,000 Living represented by Deaths. From all causes	From certain Epidemic Diseases†	Total Deaths.	Under 1 year.	1 and under 2.	2 and under 5.	5 and under 15.	15 and under 25.	25 and under 45.	45 and under 65.	65 and upwards.	Enteric Fever.	Typhus.	Small-pox.	Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Whooping-cough.	Diphtheria.	Dysentery.	Influenza.	Tuberculosis. Pulmonary.	Tuberculosis. Other Forms.	Cancer.	Diseases of Respiratory System. Pneumonia.	Diseases of Respiratory System. Other.	Diarrhœa and Enteritis of Children under 2 years.	Diarrhœa, 2 years and upwards.	Violence.	Other Causes.	Inquest Cases.	In Institutions. In Hospitals, Prisons and Lunatic Asylums.	In Institutions. In Workhouse Hospitals.	Number of Uncertified Deaths.
Cols.	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)	(14)	(15)	(16)	(17)	(18)	(19)	(20)	(21)	(22)	(23)	(24)	(25)	(26)	(27)	(28)	(29)	(30)	(31)	(32)	(33)	(34)
DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA.																																		
Dublin City Districts. North City, No. 1, E.	31,600	6·6	3·3	4	2	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	2	.	1	.	.
" 1, W.	43,300	9·6	1·2	8	1	.	1	1	1	.	.	4	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	1	.	.	1	1	.	.	.	4	.	1	1	.
" 2	29,000	21·6	1·8	12	3	2	1	.	1	2	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	1	1	1	.	1	.	1	5	1	6	2	.
" 3	35,900	14·5	.	10	1	.	1	.	1	1	2	4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	6	.	5	.	1
Clontarf and Howth, No. 1, part of	5,800	9·0	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.
Coolock and Drumcondra, part of	14,300	10·9	.	3	1	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Finglas and Glasnevin, part of	11,700	8·9	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
South City, No. 1	45,300	8·1	1·2	7	1	.	1	.	1	2	.	2	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	1	.	.	2	2	2	2	4	.
" 2	19,100	10·9	.	4	1	.	.	.	1	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	1	2	1	2	2	.
" 3	45,600	12·6	1·1	11	1	.	1	1	3	.	4	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	2	.	2	1	.	.	5	.	3	1	.
" 4	34,500	9·1	.	6	.	.	.	1	1	1	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	3	.	.	.	1	.	.	1	1	1	4	.	.
New Kilmainham	10,900	9·6	.	2	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	2	.	.
Urban Districts. Rathmines and Rathgar	41,500	8·8	.	7	.	.	.	.	1	2	1	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	1	.	.	.	1	3	.	4	.	.
Pembroke	31,100	6·7	.	4	.	.	.	.	.	1	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	2	.	.
Blackrock	9,900	5·3	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.
Dún Laoghaire	17,500	6·0	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	.	.
Total City of Dublin	327,000	11·2	1·0	70	11	2	5	3	10	10	14	15	.	.	.	1	.	.	2	.	.	12	3	4	3	5	3	.	8	29	5	26	10	1
Total Urban Districts	100,000	7·3	.	14	.	.	.	.	1	3	5	5	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	3	.	1	1	1	.	.	1	7	.	6	1	.
Total Dublin Registration Area	427,000	10·3	0·7	84	11	2	5	3	11	13	19	20	.	.	.	1	.	.	2	.	.	15	3	5	4	6	3	.	9	36	5	32	11	1
Deaths relating to residents of localities situated outside the Registration Area (not included in above)				14	1	.	.	.	2	5	5	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	6	6	5	13	1	.
CITY OF CORK.																																		
Cork City Districts. Cork Urban, No. 1	13,455	19·4	.	5	.	.		1		2	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	1	5		.
" 2	10,399	15·0	.	3	.	.		.		1	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	3	.	1		.
" 3	9,793	5·3	.	1	.	.		.		.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1		.
" 4	9,139	11·4	.	2	.	.		.		.	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	1	.	.		1
" 5	6,250	8·3	.	1	.	.		.		.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1		.
" 6	11,581	18·0	.	4	2	.		1		.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	1	.	.	.	2	.	2		.
" 7	16,056	9·7	.	3	.	1		.		1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	1	.	3		.
Total City of Cork	76,673	12·9	.	19	2	1		2		4	5	5	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	3	1	1	1	2	.	.	1	10	1	13		1

* The populations given for the City of Cork and its component parts are those according to the Census of 1911.

† See note (†) at foot of first page.

TABLE III.—Showing the NUMBER of CASES of INFECTIOUS DISEASES notified in the Dublin Registration Area (viz. :—the City of Dublin, and the Urban Districts of Rathmines and Rathgar, Pembroke, Blackrock and Dún Laoghaire), and in the Cities of Cork, Limerick, and Waterford, during the week ended 5th August, 1922, and each of the preceding three weeks, as furnished by the respective Sanitary Authorities. A dash (—) denotes that the disease in question is not notifiable in the District.

Cities and Urban Districts.	Week ending	Enteric Fever.	Typhus.	Pyrexia—Continued Fever.	Relapsing Fever.	Small-pox.	Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Whooping-cough.	Diphtheria (including Membranous Croup).	Erysipelas.	Puerperal Fever.	Diarrhœal Diseases.	Dysentery.	Malaria.	Trench Fever	Acute Primary Pneumonia and Acute Influenzal Pneumonia.	Cerebro-spinal Fever	Acute Poliomyelitis	Encephalitis Lethargica	Tuberculosis.	Total.
City of Dublin	July 15	2	.	.	.	.	—	8	—	1	2	.	—	.	.	.	3	.	.	—	2	18
	July 22	.	.	.	.	.	—	3	—	4	1	.	—	.	.	.	3	.	.	—	12	23
	July 29	.	.	.	.	.	—	8	—	6	.	1	—	.	.	.	4	.	.	—	2	21
	Aug. 5	.	.	.	.	.	—	18	—	5	1	1	—	.	.	.	4	.	.	—	6	35
Rathmines & Rathgar Urban District	July 15	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	.
	July 22	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	1	.	—	.	.	.	2	.	.	—	—	3
	July 29	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	.
	Aug. 5	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	.
Pembroke Urban District	July 15	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.
	July 22	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	1
	July 29	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	2
	Aug. 5	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.
Blackrock Urban District	July 15	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.
	July 22	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.
	July 29	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.
	Aug. 5	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.
Dún Laoghaire Urban District	July 15	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.
	July 22	.	.	.	.	.	—	2	—	2	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	4
	July 29	.	.	.	.	.	—	3	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	3
	Aug. 5	.	.	.	.	.	—	1	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	1
City of Cork	July 15	1	.	.	.	.	1	.	—	2	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	—	5*a*
	July 22	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	9	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	—	10
	July 29	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	6	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	—	6
	Aug. 5	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	3	.	.	3	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	—	6
City of Limerick	July 15	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	.
	July 22	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	.
	July 29	1	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	1
	Aug. 5	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	.
City of Waterford	July 15	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	.	.
	July 22	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	.	.
	July 29	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	.	.
	Aug. 5	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	.	.

(*a*) Not including 2 cases of Varicella.

TABLE IV.—Showing the NUMBER of CASES of the undermentioned DISEASES treated in Dublin Hospitals during the week ended Saturday, 5th August, 1922, with the number under treatment at the close of each of the last four weeks.

Diseases	No. of Cases in Hospital at close of week ended			Week ended 5th August			
	July 15	July 22	July 29	No. admitted.	Discharged.	Died.	No. under treatment at close of week.
Enteric Fever, ...	5	4	5	.	1	.	4
Typhus, ...	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Small-pox, ...	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Measles, ...	23	29	25	4	14	1	14
Scarlet Fever, ...	59	50	44	22	10	1	55*
Diphtheria, ...	18	20	22	2	2	1	21
Pneumonia, ...	25	30	19	3	5	.	17

* Exclusive of 16 patients in "Beneavin," the Convalescent Home of Cork Street Fever Hospital.

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TWELVE TOWN DISTRICTS.

The Births and Deaths * registered in the Dublin Registration Area and in eleven provincial Urban Districts of the Irish Free State, with the annual rates per 1,000 of the population represented thereby, which, for the purposes of these Returns, is estimated at 662,256, are given in Table I. The deaths from all causes appertaining to the undermentioned areas for last week and for the past four weeks, respectively, were equal to the following annual rates per 1,000 of the population:—

Twelve Town Districts,‡ 11·6 and 11·6; Dublin Registration Area, 11·4 and 11·1; Dublin City, 10·7 and 11·0; Cork, 10·2 and 10·4; Limerick, 20·3 and 18·6; and Waterford, 22·8 and 17·6.

The deaths* from certain epidemic diseases† registered in the 12 town districts ‡ during last week were equal to an annual rate of 0·9 per 1,000. Among the 15 deaths from all causes for Limerick is one from measles, and the 12 deaths from all causes for Waterford include one from measles, and one from diarrhœa and enteritis of a child under 2 years.

DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA.

In the Dublin Registration Area the total number of births registered during the week amounted to 233—126 boys and 107 girls—and the deaths to 96—55 males and 41 females.

The deaths registered, omitting the deaths (numbering 3) of persons admitted to public institutions from localities outside the Dublin Registration Area, represent an annual rate of mortality of 11·4 per 1,000 of the population. During the thirty-two weeks ending with Saturday last, the death-rate averaged 19·1 and was 1·9 below the mean rate for the corresponding portions of the ten years, 1912-1921. The rate for all deaths registered during the thirty-two weeks was 20·7 and for the corresponding period of the preceding ten years 22·6.

Included in the 93 deaths appertaining to the Area are one from measles, one from scarlet fever, 5 from diarrhœal diseases, and one from influenza. In the 3 preceding weeks, deaths from measles were one, 0, and one; deaths from diarrhœal diseases 0, one, and 3; and deaths from influenza 0, one, and 0.

There were 2 deaths from broncho-pneumonia. No deaths from scarlet fever were recorded for the 3 preceding weeks.

Tuberculous disease caused 14 deaths (including 10 from pulmonary tuberculosis, one from tuberculous meningitis, one from abdominal tuberculosis, and 2 from other forms of tuberculosis), as against 17, 10, and 18 from all forms of tuberculous disease in the 3 weeks preceding.

Nine deaths were caused by cancer, 11 by organic diseases of the heart, and 3 by bronchitis.

Eight deaths were assigned to violence, including one death caused by burns (that of a child aged 1 year, 8 months), and one was a case of suicide.

Among deaths of infants under one year old, 5 were due to convulsions, one to bronchitis, 3 to diarrhœa and enteritis, one to congenital debility, and 3 to premature birth.

Nineteen of the deaths registered during the week, appertaining to the Area, were those of children under 5 years of age, 14 being infants under one year, of whom 5 were under one month old, and 23 deaths were those of persons aged 65 and upwards, of whom 15 were 70 years of age or over.

Of the 93 deaths recorded, 37 occurred in hospitals and other public institutions.

ENGLAND AND SCOTLAND.

The mortality among civilians for the week ended 12th August, in 105 large English towns (including London in which the rate was 8·6) was equal to an average annual death rate of 9·3 per 1,000 of the estimated civil population.

The average death-rate for 16 principal towns of Scotland was 10·6 per 1,000 persons living, the rate for Glasgow being 10·0 and for Edinburgh 12·5.

* Exclusive of the deaths of persons admitted into public institutions from without the respective districts.
† Enteric fever, typhus, small-pox, measles, scarlet fever, whooping-cough, diphtheria, dysentery, and diarrhœal diseases.
‡ See Note (*h*) Table I.

TABLE I.—BIRTHS and DEATHS registered during the week ended Saturday, 12TH AUGUST, 1922, in the DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA, in each of the under-mentioned 11 CITIES OR URBAN DISTRICTS, and in BELFAST and LONDONDERRY CITIES (*exclusive of Births and Deaths in Public Institutions relating to Persons admitted from other Districts*), the Number of Deaths from some of the PRINCIPAL CAUSES, and the Number of Uncertified Deaths with the Temperature and Rainfall for the week; also particulars regarding Births, Deaths and Meteorology in London, Edinburgh, and Glasgow.

TOWNS AND DISTRICTS.	POPULATION. Total (a)	Population. Persons to an Acre.	REGISTRATION—WEEK ENDED SATURDAY, 12TH AUGUST, 1922. Annual Rate per 1,000 Persons Represented by BIRTHS.	DEATHS. From all Causes.	DEATHS. From certain Epidemic Diseases. (b)	NUMBERS REGISTERED. BIRTHS. Total Number.	DEATHS. Total Number.	Under 1 year of Age.	At 65 years and upwards.	Caused by: Enteric Fever.	Typhus.	Small-pox.	Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Whooping-cough.	Diphtheria.	Dysentery.	Influenza.	Tuberculosis. Pulmonary.	Tuberculosis. Other Forms.	Cancer.	Diseases of the Respiratory System. Pneumonia.	Diseases of the Respiratory System. Other.	Diarrhœa and Enteritis of children under 2 years of age.	Diarrhœa, 2 years of age and upwards.	Violence.	Inquest Cases.	No. of Deaths in Public Institutions.	Number of Uncertified Deaths.	METEOROLOGY. (c) WEEK ENDED 12TH AUGUST, 1922. Air Temperature. Absolute Highest.	Absolute Lowest.	Mean Maximum (A).	Mean Minimum (B).	Mean of (A) and (B).	Rainfall in Inches.
COLS.	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)	(14)	(15)	(16)	(17)	(18)	(19)	(20)	(21)	(22)	(23)	(24)	(25)	(26)	(27)	(28)	(29)	(30)	(31)	(32)	(33)	(34)	(35)
TOTAL OF 12 TOWN (h) DISTRICTS ...	662,256	18·9	24·6	11·6	0·9	313	147	19	33	.	.	.	3	1	.	.	.	1	21	5	14	4	9	6	1	15	10	55	5	.	.	.	.	.	.
DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA	427,000	30·5	26·6	11·4	0·9	218	93	14	23	.	.	.	1	1	.	.	.	1	10	4	9	2	4	4	1	8	8	37	3	(d)67·8	43·7	61·6	47·7	54·7	0·41
Urban Districts. CITY OF DUBLIN	327,000	40·0	28·7	10·7	1·1	180	67	11	16	.	.	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	10	2	6	2	3	4	1	5	6	29	3	(e)65·9 (f)68·0	49·0 45·0	61·0 62·1	51·7 49·2	56·4 55·7	0·50 0·56
RATHMINES and RATHGAR ...	41,500	24·2	18·8	12·6	.	15	10	.	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
PEMBROKE ...	31,100	19·8	25·1	10·1	.	15	6	1	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	1	1	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
BLACKROCK ...	9,900	9·1	10·5	10·5	.	2	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
DÚN LAOGHAIRE	17,500	12·0	17·9	23·8	.	6	8	2	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	1	1	.	64	49	63·4	51·4	57·4	0·60
Urban Districts. CORK	76,673	28·6	18.4	10·2	.	27	15	.	4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	5	.	1	.	.	.	.	1	1	8	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
LIMERICK ...	38,518	16·1	50·1	20·3	1·4	37	15	3	3	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	3	.	2	1	2	.	.	4	.	6	2	.	.	.	.	.	.
WATERFORD ...	27,464	19·1	15·2	22·8	3·8	8	12	1	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	1	1	1	.	1	.	4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
GALWAY	13,255	2·5	The annual rates			2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
DUNDALK ...	13,128	9·5	represented by the			3	2	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
DROGHEDA ...	12,501	8·4	numbers of births			8	2	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
WEXFORD ...	11,531	22·8	and deaths regis-			7	4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
SLIGO	11,163	2·8	tered for these			1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	67	43	63	49	56	0·94
KILKENNY ...	10,514	11·4	urban districts will			.	3	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	1	1	.	.	68	45	62·5	50·4	56·5	1·05
TRALEE ...	10,300	17·4	be shown in the			2	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
CLONMEL	10,209	4·8	Quarterly Summary of the Weekly Returns.			.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
BELFAST CITY	425,000	24·3	24·7	10·7	0·5	201	87	11	17	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	1	13	3	8	8	9	1	1	3	7	21	.	70·5	50·5	67·0	54·3	60·6	0·35
LONDONDERRY CITY ...	46,000	36·3	12·5	11·3	.	11	10	1	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	2	2	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
LONDON	4,514,405	—	—	8·6	—	1,636	744	73	234	1	.	.	5	4	3	16	—	—	75	22	108	42	37	7	4	44	91	393	.	71	44	66·9	50·9	58·9	1·21
EDINBURGH	420,500	—	—	12·5	0·1	171	101g	5	41	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	—	—	—	—	—	8		.	—	3	—	—	—	59·0	45·0	56·3	47·9	52·1	0·50
GLASGOW	1,037,800	—	—	10·0	0·8	524	200	34	51	.	.	.	.	1	3	5	—	1	—	—	—	17		6	—	2	—	—	—	66·8	45·3	60·4	48·5	54·5	1·18

(a) According to the Census of 1911, but in the cases of the Dublin Registration Area and its component parts, the population given is that estimated to the middle of 1922. The estimate shown for London relates to the civil population in 1921. The population given for Glasgow and Edinburgh is that estimated to the middle of 1922. (b) See note (†) at foot of first page. (c) The observations shown for Cork were taken at Roche's Point, and those for Sligo at Markree. (d) Observations at Ordnance Survey Office, Phœnix Park. (e) Observations by Sir John Moore, taken at Fitzwilliam Square. (f) Observations taken at the Botanic Gardens, Glasnevin. (g) Including one death from cerebro-spinal meningitis. (h) Exclusive of Clonmel, the return for which has not been received.

TABLE II.—Showing for the WEEK ENDED 12TH AUGUST, 1922, the number of DEATHS of Residents of the several REGISTRARS' DISTRICTS in the DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA, and in the CITY OF CORK, the annual Rate per 1,000 of the Population of the respective Districts represented thereby, and by the Deaths from the principal Epidemic Diseases†; with the mortality from some of the principal causes; also the Deaths at certain age-periods, and the number of Uncertified Deaths, *the Deaths in Public Institutions being assigned to the Districts from which the deceased were admitted.*

WEEK ENDED SATURDAY, 12TH AUGUST, 1922.

REGISTRARS' DISTRICTS, &c.	Estimated Population middle of 1922.*	Annual Rate of Mortality per 1,000 Living represented by Deaths. From all causes	From certain Epidemic Diseases†	Total Deaths.	Under 1 year.	1 and under 2.	2 and under 5.	5 and under 15.	15 and under 25.	25 and under 45.	45 and under 65.	65 and upwards.	Enteric Fever.	Typhus.	Small-pox.	Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Whooping-cough.	Diphtheria.	Dysentery.	Influenza.	Tuberculosis. Pulmonary.	Tuberculosis. Other Forms.	Cancer.	Diseases of Respiratory System. Pneumonia.	Diseases of Respiratory System. Other.	Diarrhœa and Enteritis of Children under 2 years.	Diarrhœa, 2 years and upwards.	Violence.	Other Causes.	Inquest Cases.	In Institutions. In Hospitals, Prisons and Lunatic Asylums.	In Institutions. In Workhouse Hospitals.	Number of Uncertified Deaths.
Cols.	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)	(14)	(15)	(16)	(17)	(18)	(19)	(20)	(21)	(22)	(23)	(24)	(25)	(26)	(27)	(28)	(29)	(30)	(31)	(32)	(33)	34)
DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA.																																		
Dublin City Districts. North City, No. 1, E.	31,600	8·3	.	5	.	.	.	.	2	.	2	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	3	1	2	.	.
" 1, W.	43,300	14·5	1·2	12	2	.	.	1	.	1	5	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	4	.	.	1	1	1	.	.	5	.	5	2	.
" 2	29,000	10·8	1·8	6	2	.	.	.	1	1	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	.	1	.	3	.	2	.	1
" 3	35,900	7·3	1·5	5	3	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	.	3	.	.	1	.
Clontarf and Howth, No. 1, part of	5,800	18·0	.	2	1	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	.	.
Coolock and Drumcondra, part of	14,300	7·3	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	.	.
Finglas and Glasnevin, part of	11,700	8·9	.	2	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.
South City, No. 1	45,300	8·1	.	7	.	.	.	.	1	2	1	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	5	1	2	3	.
" 2	19,100	10·9	.	4	.	.	1	.	.	.	2	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	1	2	1	1	.	.
" 3	45,600	13·7	3·4	12	3	.	1	1	1	2	4	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	2	.	1	.	.	1	.	1	5	1	5	1	1
" 4	34,500	13·6	1·5	9	.	2	.	.	1	3	1	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	2	1	.	1	.	2	1	2	3	1	1
New Kilmainham	10,900	4·8	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.
Urban Districts. Rathmines and Rathgar	41,500	12·6	.	10	.	.	.	1	3	2	1	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	2	.	.	.	.	.	6	.	4	.	.
Pembroke	31,100	10·1	.	6	1	.	.	1	1	1	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	1	3	1	3	.	.
Blackrock	9,900	10·5	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.
Dún Laoghaire	17,500	23·8	.	8	2	1	.	.	.	1	2	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	6	1	1	.	.
Total City of Dublin	327,000	10·7	1·1	67	11	2	2	3	6	9	18	16	.	.	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	10	2	6	2	3	4	1	5	32	6	20	9	3
Total Urban Districts	100,000	13·6	.	26	3	1	.	2	4	5	4	7	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	2	3	.	1	.	.	3	16	2	8	.	.
Total Dublin Registration Area	427,000	11·4	0·9	93	14	3	2	5	10	14	22	23	.	.	.	1	1	.	.	.	1	10	4	9	2	4	4	1	8	48	8	28	9	3
Deaths relating to residents of localities situated outside the Registration Area (not included in above)				3	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	2	1	2	1	.
CITY OF CORK.																																		
Cork City Districts. Cork Urban, No. 1	13,455	27·1	.	7	.	.		2		2	1	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	4	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	6	.	.
" 2	10,399	.	.	.	.	.		.		.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
" 3	9,793	10·6	.	2	.	.		.		1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.
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" 7	16,056	16·2	.	5	.	.		1		1	1	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	4	1	1	.	.
Total City of Cork	76,673	10·2	.	15	.	.		3		4	4	4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	5	.	1	.	.	.	.	1	8	1	8	.	.

* The populations given for the City of Cork and its component parts are those according to the Census of 1911.

† See note (†) at foot of first page

TABLE III.—Showing the NUMBER of CASES of INFECTIOUS DISEASES notified in the Dublin Registration Area (viz. :—the City of Dublin, and the Urban Districts of Rathmines and Rathgar, Pembroke, Blackrock and Dún Laoghaire), and in the Cities of Cork, Limerick, and Waterford, during the week ended 12th August, 1922, and each of the preceding three weeks, as furnished by the respective Sanitary Authorities. A dash (—) denotes that the disease in question is not notifiable in the District.

Cities and Urban Districts.	Week ending	Enteric Fever.	Typhus.	Pyrexia—Continued Fever.	Relapsing Fever.	Small-pox.	Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Whooping-cough.	Diphtheria (including Membranous Croup).	Erysipelas.	Puerperal Fever.	Diarrhœal Diseases.	Dysentery.	Malaria.	Trench Fever.	Acute Primary Pneumonia and Acute Influenzal Pneumonia.	Cerebro-spinal Fever	Acute Poliomyelitis.	Encephalitis Lethargica	Tuberculosis.	Total.
City of Dublin	July 22	.	.	.	.	.	—	3	—	4	1	.	—	.	.	.	3	.	.	—	12	23
	July 29	.	.	.	.	.	—	8	—	6	.	1	—	.	.	.	4	.	.	—	2	21
	Aug. 5	.	.	.	.	.	—	18	—	5	1	1	—	.	.	.	4	.	.	—	6	35
	Aug. 12	1	.	.	.	.	—	2	—	1	5	.	—	.	.	.	1	.	.	—	13	23
Rathmines & Rathgar Urban District	July 22	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	1	.	—	.	.	.	2	.	.	—	—	3
	July 29	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	.
	Aug. 5	.	.	.	.	.	—	2	—	2	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	4
	Aug. 12	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	.
Pembroke Urban District	July 22	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	1
	July 29	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	2
	Aug. 5	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.
	Aug. 12	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.
Blackrock Urban District	July 22	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.
	July 29	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.
	Aug. 5	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.
	Aug. 12	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.
Dún Laoghaire Urban District	July 22	.	.	.	.	.	—	2	—	2	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	4
	July 29	.	.	.	.	.	—	3	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	3
	Aug. 5	.	.	.	.	.	—	1	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	1
	Aug. 12	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.
City of Cork	July 22	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	9	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	—	10
	July 29	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	6	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	—	6
	Aug. 5	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	3	.	.	3	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	—	6
	Aug. 12	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	5	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	—	5
City of Limerick	July 22	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	.
	July 29	1	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	1
	Aug. 5	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	2	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	2
	Aug. 12	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	2	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	2
City of Waterford	July 22	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	.	.
	July 29	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	.	.
	Aug. 5	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	.	.
	Aug. 12	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	.	.

TABLE IV.—Showing the NUMBER of CASES of the undermentioned DISEASES treated in Dublin Hospitals during the week ended Saturday, 12th August, 1922, with the number under treatment at the close of each of the last four weeks.

Diseases	No. of Cases in Hospital at close of week ended			Week ended 12th August.			
	July 22	July 29	Aug. 5	No. admitted.	Dis-charged.	Died.	No. under treatment at close of week.
Enteric Fever, ...	4	5	4	4	1	1	6
Typhus, ...	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Small-pox, ...	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Measles, ...	29	25	14	2	5	.	11
Scarlet Fever, ...	50	44	55	4	7	1	51*
Diphtheria, ...	20	22	21	3	3	.	21
Pneumonia, ...	30	19	17	4	7	1	13

* Exclusive of 10 patients in "Beneavin," the Convalescent Home of Cork Street Fever Hospital.

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TWELVE TOWN DISTRICTS.

The Births and Deaths * registered in the Dublin Registration Area and in eleven provincial Urban Districts of the Irish Free State, with the annual rates per 1,000 of the population represented thereby, which, for the purposes of these Returns, is estimated at 662,256, are given in Table I. The deaths from all causes appertaining to the undermentioned areas for last week and for the past four weeks, respectively, were equal to the following annual rates per 1,000 of the population:—

Twelve Town Districts,‡ 13·6 and 12·5; Dublin Registration Area, 13·7 and 11·6; Dublin City, 14·8 and 11·6; Cork, 13·6 and 10·9; Limerick, 19·0 and 26·7; and Waterford, 19·0 and 21·4.

The deaths* from certain epidemic diseases† registered in the 12 town districts ‡ during last week were equal to an annual rate of 0·6 per 1,000.

DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA.

In the Dublin Registration Area the total number of births registered during the week amounted to 239—130 boys and 109 girls—and the deaths to 130—75 males and 55 females.

The deaths registered, omitting the deaths (numbering 18) of persons admitted to public institutions from localities outside the Dublin Registration Area, represent an annual rate of mortality of 13·7 per 1,000 of the population. During the thirty-three weeks ending with Saturday last, the death-rate averaged 19·0 and was 1·9 below the mean rate for the corresponding portions of the ten years, 1912-1921. The rate for all deaths registered during the thirty-three weeks was 20·6 and for the corresponding period of the preceding ten years 22·4.

Included in the 112 deaths appertaining to the Area are one from enteric fever, one from scarlet fever, 5 from diarrhœa and enteritis of children under 2 years, and one from influenza. In the 3 preceding weeks, deaths from scarlet fever were 0, 0, and one; deaths from diarrhœa and enteritis of children under 2 years one, 3, and 4; and deaths from influenza one, 0, and one. There were no deaths from enteric fever registered in the three preceding weeks.

There were 8 deaths from pneumonia, comprising 4 from broncho-pneumonia and 4 from pneumonia (not otherwise defined).

Tuberculous disease caused 18 deaths (including 13 from pulmonary tuberculosis, 3 from abdominal tuberculosis, and 2 from other forms of tuberculosis), as against 10, 18, and 14 from all forms of tuberculous disease in the 3 weeks preceding.

Fourteen deaths were caused by cancer, 11 by organic diseases of the heart, and 7 by bronchitis.

Five deaths were attributed to violence.

Among deaths of infants under one year old, one was due to tuberculous peritonitis, 4 to convulsions, 3 to broncho-pneumonia, 5 to diarrhœa and enteritis, and 2 to premature birth.

Twenty-three of the deaths registered during the week, appertaining to the Area, were those of children under 5 years of age, 20 being infants under one year, of whom 6 were under one month old, and 24 deaths were those of persons aged 65 and upwards, of whom 11 were 70 years of age or over.

Of the 112 deaths recorded, 48 occurred in hospitals and other public institutions.

ENGLAND AND SCOTLAND.

The mortality among civilians for the week ended 19th August in 105 large English towns (including London in which the rate was 8·1) was equal to an average annual death rate of 9·1 per 1,000 of the estimated civil population.

The average death-rate for 16 principal towns of Scotland was 10·6 per 1,000 persons living, the rate for Glasgow being 10·7 and for Edinburgh 11·2.

* Exclusive of the deaths of persons admitted into public institutions from without the respective districts.
† Enteric fever, typhus, small-pox, measles, scarlet fever, whooping-cough, diphtheria, dysentery, and diarrhœal diseases.
‡ See Note (*g*) Table I.

TABLE I.—BIRTHS and DEATHS registered during the week ended Saturday, 19TH AUGUST, 1922, in the DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA, in each of the under-mentioned 11 CITIES OR URBAN DISTRICTS, and in BELFAST and LONDONDERRY CITIES (*exclusive of Births and Deaths in Public Institutions relating to Persons admitted from other Districts*), the Number of Deaths from some of the PRINCIPAL CAUSES, and the Number of Uncertified Deaths with the Temperature and Rainfall for the week; also particulars regarding Births, Deaths and Meteorology in London, Edinburgh, and Glasgow.

TOWNS AND DISTRICTS.	POPULATION. Total (a)	Persons to an Acre.	Annual Rate per 1,000 Persons Represented by BIRTHS.	DEATHS. From all Causes.	DEATHS. From certain Epidemic Diseases. (b)	BIRTHS. Total Number	DEATHS. Total Number.	Under 1 year of Age.	At 65 years and upwards.	Enteric Fever.	Typhus.	Small-pox.	Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Whooping-cough.	Diphtheria.	Dysentery.	Influenza.	Tuberculosis. Pulmonary.	Tuberculosis. Other Forms.	Cancer.	Diseases of the Respiratory System. Pneumonia.	Diseases of the Respiratory System. Other.	Diarrhœa and Enteritis of children under 2 years of age.	Diarrhœa, 2 years of age and upwards.	Violence.	Inquest Cases.	No. of Deaths in Public Institutions.	Number of Uncertified Deaths.	METEOROLOGY. (c) Week ended 19th August, 1922. Air Temperature. Absolute Highest.	Absolute Lowest.	Mean Maximum (A).	Mean Minimum (B).	Mean of (A) and (B).	Rainfall in Inches.
COLS.	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)	(14)	(15)	(16)	(17)	(18)	(19)	(20)	(21)	(22)	(23)	(24)	(25)	(26)	(27)	(28)	(29)	(30)	(31)	(32)	(33)	(34)	(35)
TOTAL OF 12 TOWN DISTRICTS (g)	662,256	18·9	26·1	13·6	0·6	331	173	28	38	1	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	1	19	6	18	10	14	6	.	13	7	72	4	.	.	.	.	.	.
DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA	427,000	30·5	27·2	13·7	0·9	223	112	20	24	1	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	1	13	5	14	8	8	5	.	5	6	48	1	(d)71·0	45·5	64·7	49·9	57·3	0·03
Urban Districts. CITY OF DUBLIN	327,000	40·0	29·3	14·8	1·1	184	93	17	19	1	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	12	5	8	7	8	5	.	5	6	41	1	(e)69·0 (f)71·0	50·0 49·6	64·1 65·4	53·1 52·1	58·6 58·8	0·02 0·03
Urban Districts. RATHMINES and RATHGAR	41,500	24·2	11·3	7·5	.	9	6	2	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Urban Districts. PEMBROKE	31,100	19·8	21·8	18·4	.	13	11	1	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	4	1	.	.	.	.	.	5	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Urban Districts. BLACKROCK	9,900	9·1	21·1	.	.	4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Urban Districts. DÚN LAOGHAIRE	17,500	12·0	38·7	6·0	.	13	2	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	70	50	64·5	53·0	58·7	0·01
Urban Districts. CORK	76,673	28·6	17·0	13·6	0·7	25	20	6	4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	5	.	1	2	2	1	.	.	.	7	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Urban Districts. LIMERICK	38,518	16·1	16·2	19·0	.	12	14	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	6	1	7	1	.	.	.	.	.	.
Urban Districts. WATERFORD	27,464	19·1	41·8	19·0	.	22	10	.	4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	1	.	.	2	.	7	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Urban Districts. GALWAY	13,255	2·5	The annual rates			7	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Urban Districts. DUNDALK	13,128	9·5	represented by the			.	3	.	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	2	1	.	.	.	.	.	.
Urban Districts. DROGHEDA	12,501	8·4	numbers of births			3	3	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Urban Districts. WEXFORD	11,531	22·8	and deaths regis-			15	4	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.
Urban Districts. SLIGO	11,163	2·8	tered for these			6	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	70	45	61	49	55	0·71
Urban Districts. KILKENNY	10,514	11·4	urban districts will			11	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	71	45	64·2	50·5	57·3	0·19
Urban Districts. TRALEE	10,300	17·4	be shown in the			7	5	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Urban Districts. CLONMEL	10,209	4·8	Quarterly Summary of the Weekly Returns.			.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
BELFAST CITY	425,000	24·5	23·1	13·6	0·4	188	111	18	33	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	12	7	11	10	12	2	.	10	11	33	1	67·0	44·0	63·9	50·4	57·2	0·82
LONDONDERRY CITY	46,000	36·3	34·0	21·5	1·1	30	19	5	5	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	5	1	.	.	1	1	.	1	1	10	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
LONDON	4,514,405	—	—	8·1	.	2,042	704	88	225	1	.	.	5	4	3	19	—	—	69	18	89	35	28	13	5	36	68	383	.	72	46	69·6	49·7	59·7	0·05
EDINBURGH	420,500	—	—	11·2	0·5	176	90	4	29	.	.	.	.	.	2	1	—	—	—	—	—	10		1	—	2	—	—	—	63·0	45·0	60·7	48·4	54·6	0·28
GLASGOW	1,037,800	—	—	10·7	0·5	527	213	27	58	.	.	.	.	.	2	5	—	—	—	—	—	26		3	—	5	—	—	—	62·8	45·8	59·2	49·3	54·2	0·82

(a) According to the Census of 1911, but in the cases of the Dublin Registration Area and its component parts, the population given is that estimated to the middle of 1922. The estimate shown for London relates to the civil population in 1921. The population given for Glasgow and Edinburgh is that estimated to the middle of 1922. (b) See note (†) at foot of first page. (c) The observations shown for Cork were taken at Roche's Point, and those for Sligo at Markree. (d) Observations at Ordnance Survey Office, Phœnix Park. (e) Observations by Sir John Moore, taken at Fitzwilliam Square. (f) Observations taken at the Botanic Gardens, Glasnevin. (g) Exclusive of Clonmel, the return for which has not been received.

Table II.—Showing for the Week ended 19th August, 1922, the number of Deaths of Residents of the several Registrars' Districts in the Dublin Registration Area, and in the City of Cork, the annual Rate per 1,000 of the Population of the respective Districts represented thereby, and by the Deaths from the principal Epidemic Diseases†; with the mortality from some of the principal causes; also the Deaths at certain age-periods, and the number of Uncertified Deaths, *the Deaths in Public Institutions being assigned to the Districts from which the deceased were admitted.*

Registrars' Districts, &c.	Estimated Population middle of 1922.*	Annual Rate of Mortality per 1,000 Living represented by Deaths. From all causes	From certain Epidemic Diseases†	Total Deaths.	Under 1 year.	1 and under 2.	2 and under 5.	5 and under 15.	15 and under 25.	25 and under 45.	45 and under 65.	65 and upwards.	Enteric Fever.	Typhus.	Small-pox.	Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Whooping-cough.	Diphtheria.	Dysentery.	Influenza.	Tuberculosis. Pulmonary.	Tuberculosis. Other Forms.	Cancer.	Diseases of Respiratory System. Pneumonia.	Diseases of Respiratory System. Other.	Diarrhœa and Enteritis of Children under 2 years.	Diarrhœa, 2 years and upwards.	Violence.	Other Causes.	Inquest Cases.	In Institutions. In Hospitals, Prisons and Lunatic Asylums.	In Institutions. In Workhouse Hospitals.	Number of Uncertified Deaths.
Cols.	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)	(14)	(15)	(16)	(17)	(18)	(19)	(20)	(21)	(22)	(23)	(24)	(25)	(26)	(27)	(28)	(29)	(30)	(31)	(32)	(33)	(34)
DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA.																																		
Dublin City Districts. North City, No. 1, E.	31,600	16·5	1·7	10	1	.	1	.	2	2	1	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	5	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	4	.	3	.	.
„ 1, W.	43,300	10·8	1·2	9	5	.	.	.	1	.	3	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	1	.	2	.	.	.	.	3	.	3	.	.
„ 2	29,000	27·0	3·6	15	2	.	.	.	3	4	4	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	1	1	.	1	2	.	3	5	3	5	6	.
„ 3	35,900	5·8	1·5	4	2	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	2	.	.	.	.
Clontarf and Howth, No. 1, part of	5,800	27·0	.	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	2	.	.
Coolock and Drumcondra, part of	14,300	3·6	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.
Finglas and Glasnevin, part of	11,700	17·8	.	4	.	.	.	.	1	1	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	2	1	2	2	.	.
South City, No. 1	45,300	15·0	1·2	13	2	.	.	1	1	3	5	1	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	2	3	.	.	.	5	.	4	.	.
„ 2	19,100	21·8	2·7	8	1	.	.	.	1	.	2	4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	1	1	1	.	.	3	1	1	3	.
„ 3	45,600	17·2	.	15	3	.	.	.	.	1	7	4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	2	1	.	.	.	10	.	4	2	1
„ 4	34,500	13·6	.	9	1	.	.	2	.	.	3	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	1	.	2	.	.	.	4	.	2	4	.
New Kilmainham	10,900	9·6	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.
Urban Districts. Rathmines and Rathgar	41,500	7·5	.	6	2	.	.	.	.	.	3	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	5	.	2	.	.
Pembroke	31,100	18·4	.	11	1	2	.	.	.	1	4	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	4	1	.	.	.	.	5	.	4	1	.
Blackrock	9,900	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Dún Laoghaire	17,500	6·0	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Total City of Dublin	327,000	14·8	1·1	93	17	.	1	3	9	12	32	19	1	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	12	5	8	7	8	5	.	5	41	6	26	15	1
Total Urban Districts	100,000	9·9	.	19	3	2	.	.	.	2	7	5	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	6	1	.	.	.	.	10	.	6	1	.
Total Dublin Registration Area	427,000	13·7	0·9	112	20	2	1	3	9	14	39	24	1	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	1	13	5	14	8	8	5	.	5	51	6	32	16	1
Deaths relating to residents of localities situated outside the Registration Area (not included in above)				18	.	.	.	2	4	6	4	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	2	1	3	1	.	.	.	.	10	1	18	.	.
CITY OF CORK.																																		
Cork City Districts. Cork Urban, No. 1	13,455	15·5	.	4	1	.	.	1	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	3	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	4	.	.
„ 2	10,399	15·0	.	3	1	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	1	.	.
„ 3	9,793	5·3	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
„ 4	9,139	28·5	.	5	1	1	.	.	.	.	1	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	3	.	1	.	.
„ 5	6,250	16·7	.	2	1	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.
„ 6	11,581	13·5	.	3	1	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	2	.	.	.	.
„ 7	16,056	6·5	3·2	2	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	1	.	.	.	.
Total City of Cork	76,673	13·6	0·7	20	6	1		1		5	3	4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	5	.	1	2	2	1	.	.	9	.	7		.

* The populations given for the City of Cork and its component parts are those according to the Census of 1911.

† See note (†) at foot of first page.

TABLE III.—Showing the NUMBER of CASES of INFECTIOUS DISEASES notified in the Dublin Registration Area (viz.:—the City of Dublin, and the Urban Districts of Rathmines and Rathgar, Pembroke, Blackrock and Dún Laoghaire), and in the Cities of Cork, Limerick, and Waterford, during the week ended 19th August, 1922, and each of the preceding three weeks, as furnished by the respective Sanitary Authorities. A dash (—) denotes that the disease in question is not notifiable in the District.

Cities and Urban Districts.	Week ending	Enteric Fever.	Typhus.	Pyrexia—Continued Fever.	Relapsing Fever.	Small-pox.	Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Whooping-cough.	Diphtheria (including Membranous Croup).	Erysipelas.	Puerperal Fever.	Diarrhœal Diseases.	Dysentery.	Malaria.	Trench Fever	Acute Primary Pneumonia and Acute Influenzal Pneumonia.	Cerebro-spinal Fever	Acute Poliomyelitis.	Encephalitis Lethargica	Tuberculosis.	Total.
City of Dublin	July 29	.	.	.	.	.	—	8	—	6	.	1	—	.	.	.	4	.	.	—	2	21
	Aug. 5	.	.	.	.	.	—	18	—	5	1	1	—	.	.	.	4	.	.	—	6	35
	Aug. 12	1	.	.	.	.	—	2	—	1	5	.	—	.	.	.	1	.	.	—	13	23
	Aug. 19	2	.	.	.	.	—	6	—	1	.	.	—	.	.	.	3	.	.	—	9	21
Rathmines & Rathgar Urban District	July 29	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	.
	Aug. 5	.	.	.	.	.	—	2	—	2	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	4
	Aug. 12	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	.
	Aug. 19	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	1	.	.	—	—	1
Pembroke Urban District	July 29	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	2
	Aug. 5	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.
	Aug. 12	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.
	Aug. 19	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	1
Blackrock Urban District	July 29	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.
	Aug. 5	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.
	Aug. 12	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.
	Aug. 19	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.
Dún Laoghaire Urban District	July 29	.	.	.	.	.	—	3	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	3
	Aug. 5	.	.	.	.	.	—	1	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	1
	Aug. 12	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.
	Aug. 19	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.
City of Cork	July 29	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	6	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	—	6
	Aug. 5	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	3	.	.	3	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	—	6
	Aug. 12	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	5	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	—	5
	Aug. 19	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	5	.	.	4	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	—	9
City of Limerick	July 29	1	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	1
	Aug. 5	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	2	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	2
	Aug. 12	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	2	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	2
	Aug. 19	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	1	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	1
City of Waterford	July 29	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	.	.
	Aug. 5	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	.	.
	Aug. 12	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	.	.
	Aug. 19	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	.	.

TABLE IV.—Showing the NUMBER of CASES of the undermentioned DISEASES treated in Dublin Hospitals during the week ended Saturday, 19th August, 1922, with the number under treatment at the close of each of the last four weeks.

Diseases	No. of Cases in Hospital at close of week ended			Week ended 19th August.			
	July 29	Aug. 5	Aug. 12	No. admitted.	Dis-charged.	Died.	No. under treatment at close of week.
Enteric Fever, ...	5	4	6	.	.	.	6
Typhus, ...	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Small-pox, ...	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Measles, ...	25	14	11	1	8	.	4
Scarlet Fever,..	44	55	51	6	16	1	40*
Diphtheria, ...	22	21	21	4	6	.	19
Pneumonia, ...	19	17	13	5	4	3	11

* Exclusive of 14 patients in "Beneavin," the Convalescent Home of Cork Street Fever Hospital.

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TWELVE TOWN DISTRICTS.

The Births and Deaths * registered in the Dublin Registration Area and in eleven provincial Urban Districts of the Irish Free State, with the annual rates per 1,000 of the population represented thereby, which, for the purposes of these Returns, is estimated at 662,256, are given in Table I. The deaths from all causes appertaining to the undermentioned areas for last week and for the past four weeks, respectively, were equal to the following annual rates per 1,000 of the population:—

Twelve Town Districts, 13·2 and 12·6; Dublin Registration Area, 12·1 and 11·9; Dublin City, 11·8 and 12·1; Cork, 8·2 and 11·2; Limerick, 20·3 and 23·0; and Waterford, 15·2 and 19·0.

The deaths* from certain epidemic diseases† registered in the 12 town districts during last week were equal to an annual rate of 1·2 per 1,000. Among the 15 deaths from all causes for Limerick are 3 from measles and one from diarrhœa and enteritis of a child under 2 years, and the 10 deaths from all causes for Clonmel include one from diphtheria.

DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA.

In the Dublin Registration Area the total number of births registered during the week amounted to 235—117 boys and 118 girls—and the deaths to 109—55 males and 54 females.

The deaths registered, omitting the deaths (numbering 10) of persons admitted to public institutions from localities outside the Dublin Registration Area, represent an annual rate of mortality of 12·1 per 1,000 of the population. During the thirty-four weeks ending with Saturday last, the death-rate averaged 18·8 and was 2·0 below the mean rate for the corresponding portions of the ten years, 1912-1921. The rate for all deaths registered during the thirty-four weeks was 20·4 and for the corresponding period of the preceding ten years 22·3.

Included in the 99 deaths appertaining to the Area are one from measles, one from scarlet fever, 2 from whooping cough, and 5 from diarrhœa and enteritis of children under 2 years. In the three preceding weeks, deaths from measles were one, one, and 0; deaths from scarlet fever 0, one, and one; and deaths from diarrhœa and enteritis of children under 2 years 3, 4, and 5. There were no deaths from whooping cough registered in the three preceding weeks.

There were 5 deaths from pneumonia, comprising 2 from broncho-pneumonia, one from lobar-pneumonia, and 2 from pneumonia (not otherwise defined).

Tuberculous disease caused 8 deaths (including 6 from pulmonary tuberculosis, and 2 from other forms of tuberculosis), as against 18, 14, and 18 from all forms of tuberculous disease in the three weeks preceding.

Ten deaths were caused by cancer, 5 by organic diseases of the heart, and 7 by bronchitis.

Three accidental deaths were registered, and there were 3 cases of homicide, and one of suicide.

Among deaths of infants under one year old, one was due to meningitis, 2 to convulsions, 3 to bronchitis, 2 to pneumonia, 4 to diarrhœa and enteritis, 2 to congenital malformations, 4 to premature birth, and 5 to congenital debility.

Thirty-three of the deaths registered during the week, appertaining to the Area, were those of children under 5 years of age, 26 being infants under one year, of whom 10 were under one month old, and 29 deaths were those of persons aged 65 and upwards, of whom 24 were 70 years of age or over.

Of the 99 deaths recorded, 44 occurred in hospitals and other public institutions.

ENGLAND AND SCOTLAND.

The mortality among civilians for the week ended 26th August in 105 large English towns (including London in which the rate was 8·4) was equal to an average annual death rate of 9·0 per 1,000 of the estimated civil population.

The average death-rate for 16 principal towns of Scotland was 10·5 per 1,000 persons living, the rate for Glasgow being 11·5 and for Edinburgh 12·6.

* Exclusive of the deaths of persons admitted into public institutions from without the respective districts.
† Enteric fever, typhus, small-pox, measles, scarlet fever, whooping-cough, diphtheria, dysentery, and diarrhœal diseases.

TABLE I.—BIRTHS and DEATHS registered during the week ended Saturday, 26TH AUGUST, 1922, in the DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA, in each of the under-mentioned 11 CITIES OR URBAN DISTRICTS, and in BELFAST and LONDONDERRY CITIES (*exclusive of Births and Deaths in Public Institutions relating to Persons admitted from other Districts*), the Number of Deaths from some of the PRINCIPAL CAUSES, and the Number of Uncertified Deaths with the Temperature and Rainfall for the week; also particulars regarding Births, Deaths and Meteorology in London, Edinburgh, and Glasgow.

TOWNS AND DISTRICTS.	POPULATION. Total (a)	Persons to an Acre.	REGISTRATION—WEEK ENDED SATURDAY, 26TH AUGUST, 1922. Annual Rate per 1,000 Persons Represented by BIRTHS.	DEATHS. From all Causes.	DEATHS. From certain Epidemic Diseases. (b)	NUMBERS REGISTERED. BIRTHS Total Number	DEATHS. Total Number.	Under 1 year of Age.	At 65 years and upwards.	Caused by: Enteric Fever.	Typhus.	Small-pox.	Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Whooping-cough.	Diphtheria.	Dysentery.	Influenza.	Tuberculosis. Pulmonary.	Tuberculosis. Other Forms.	Cancer.	Diseases of the Respiratory System. Pneumonia.	Diseases of the Respiratory System. Other.	Diarrhœa and Enteritis of children under 2 years of age.	Diarrhœa, 2 years of age and upwards.	Violence.	Inquest Cases.	No. of Deaths in Public Institutions.	Number of Uncertified Deaths.	METEOROLOGY. (c) WEEK ENDED 26TH AUGUST, 1922. Air Temperature. Absolute Highest.	Absolute Lowest.	Mean Maximum (A).	Mean Minimum (B).	Mean of (A) and (B).	Rainfall in Inches.
COLS.	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)	(14)	(15)	(16)	(17)	(18)	(19)	(20)	(21)	(22)	(23)	(24)	(25)	(26)	(27)	(28)	(29)	(30)	(31)	(32)	(33)	(34)	(35)
TOTAL OF 12 TOWN DISTRICTS ...	662,256	18·9	25·3	13·2	1·2	321	168	37	46	.	.	.	4	1	2	1	.	.	13	6	12	8	11	7	.	14	14	70	13	.	.	.	.	.	.
DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA	427,000	30·5	26·3	12·1	1·1	215	99	26	29	.	.	.	1	1	2	.	.	.	6	2	10	5	7	5	.	7	9	44	4	(d)68·3	36·1	64·0	46·7	55·4	0·85
Urban Districts. CITY OF DUBLIN	327,000	40·0	28·9	11·8	1·1	181	74	24	18	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	.	.	5	.	5	4	6	5	.	5	6	38	4	(e)68·9 (f)70·6	45·1 39·0	63·7 64·2	51·4 48·3	57·6 56·2	0·64 0·77
Urban Districts. RATHMINES and RATHGAR ...	41,500	24·2	16·3	10·1	.	13	8	.	5	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	.	.	1	2	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Urban Districts. PEMBROKE ...	31,100	19·8	13·4	13·4	1·7	8	8	1	4	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	1	1	1	1	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Urban Districts. BLACKROCK ...	9,900	9·1	31·6	15·8	.	6	3	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Urban Districts. DÚN LAOGHAIRE	17,500	12·0	20·9	17·9	3·0	7	6	1	1	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	1	.	.	.	.	1	1	2	.	70	44	64·1	50·1	57·1	0·43
Urban Districts. CORK	76,673	28·6	19·7	8·2	0·7	29	12	3	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	1	2	1	.	1	1	6	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Urban Districts. LIMERICK ...	38,518	16·1	29·8	20·3	5·4	22	15	4	2	.	.	.	3	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	1	1	1	.	2	1	3	5	.	.	.	.	.	.
Urban Districts. WATERFORD ...	27,464	19·1	32·3	15·2	.	17	8	.	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	4	1	.	.	.	.	.	.
Urban Districts. GALWAY	13,255	2·5	The annual rates represented by the numbers of births and deaths registered for these urban districts will be shown in the Quarterly Summary of the Weekly Returns.			9	5	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	2	2	.	.	.	.	.	.
Urban Districts. DUNDALK ...	13,128	9·5				6	2	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Urban Districts. DROGHEDA ...	12,501	8·4				5	4	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Urban Districts. WEXFORD ...	11,531	22·8				6	2	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Urban Districts. SLIGO	11,163	2·8				5	2	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	62	35	60	46	53	1·04
Urban Districts. KILKENNY ...	10,514	11·4				1	9	1	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	3	1	1	.	.	.	.	1	1	2	1	71	42	65·1	48·4	56·7	0·67
Urban Districts. TRALEE ...	10,300	17·4				2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Urban Districts. CLONMEL	10,209	4·8				4	10	.	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	7	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
BELFAST CITY	425,000	24·3	24·2	11·7	0·9	197	95	18	20	.	.	.	3	1	.	1	.	1	11	2	10	7	5	2	.	3	1	30	1	66·6	49·2	61·6	52·1	56·8	0·79
LONDONDERRY CITY ...	46,000	36·3	31·7	15·9	1·1	28	14	3	3	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	1	4	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.
LONDON	4,514,405	—	—	8·4	.	1,828	730	66	250	.	.	.	2	5	3	18	—	—	65	5	100	23	45	11	4	42	78	378	1	—	—	—	—	—	—
EDINBURGH	420,500	—	—	12·6	0·2	157	102g	9	40	.	.	.	2	.	.	.	—	—	—	—	—	5		.	—	3	—	—	—	61·0	44·0	59·0	47·7	53·4	0·44
GLASGOW	1,037,800	—	—	11·5	0·7	506	229g	32	50	.	.	.	1	2	2	1	—	—	—	—	—	25		7	—	7	—	—	—	60·0	44·3	58·3	48·5	53·4	0·49

(*a*) According to the Census of 1911, but in the cases of the Dublin Registration Area and its component parts, the population given is that estimated to the middle of 1922. The estimate shown for London relates to the civil population in 1921. The population given for Glasgow and Edinburgh is that estimated to the middle of 1922. (*b*) See note (†) at foot of first page. (*c*) The observations shown for Cork were taken at Roche's Point, and those for Sligo at Markree. (*d*) Observations at Ordnance Survey Office, Phœnix Park. (*e*) Observations by Sir John Moore, taken at Fitzwilliam Square. (*f*) Observations taken at the Botanic Gardens, Glasnevin. (*g*) Including 2 deaths from cerebro-spinal meningitis for Edinburgh and 4 for Glasgow.

TABLE II.—Showing for the WEEK ENDED 26TH AUGUST, 1922, the number of DEATHS of Residents of the several REGISTRARS' DISTRICTS in the DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA, and in the CITY OF CORK, the annual Rate per 1,000 of the Population of the respective Districts represented thereby, and by the Deaths from the principal Epidemic Diseases†; with the mortality from some of the principal causes; also the Deaths at certain age-periods, and the number of Uncertified Deaths, *the Deaths in Public Institutions being assigned to the Districts from which the deceased were admitted.*

WEEK ENDED SATURDAY, 26TH AUGUST, 1922.

REGISTRARS' DISTRICTS, &c.	Estimated Population middle of 1922.*	Annual Rate of Mortality per 1,000 Living represented by Deaths. From all causes	From certain Epidemic Diseases†	Total Deaths.	DEATHS. Under 1 year.	1 and under 2.	2 and under 5.	5 and under 15.	15 and under 25.	25 and under 45.	45 and under 65.	65 and upwards.	Caused by: Enteric Fever.	Typhus.	Small-pox.	Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Whooping-cough.	Diphtheria.	Dysentery.	Influenza.	Tuberculosis. Pulmonary.	Other Forms.	Cancer.	Diseases of Respiratory System. Pneumonia.	Other.	Diarrhœa and Enteritis of Children under 2 years.	Diarrhœa, 2 years and upwards.	Violence.	Other Causes.	Inquest Cases.	In Institutions. In Hospitals, Prisons and Lunatic Asylums.	In Workhouse Hospitals.	Number of Uncertified Deaths.
Cols.	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)	(14)	(15)	(16)	(17)	(18)	(19)	(20)	(21)	(22)	(23)	(24)	(25)	(26)	(27)	(28)	(29)	(30)	(31)	(32)	(33)	34)
DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA.																																		
Dublin City Districts. North City, No. 1, E.	31,600	14·9	1·7	9	3	.	.	.	2	1	1	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	1	.	1	4	1	3	1	.
" 1, W.	43,300	9·6	1·2	8	1	.	.	.	.	3	3	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	1	.	1	5	1	4	2	.
" 2	29,000	12·6	.	7	5	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	6	1	4	.	1
" 3	35,900	14·5	1·5	10	4	.	1	1	.	.	2	2	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	1	3	.	.	.	4	.	2	4	1
Clontarf and Howth, No. 1, part of	5,800	9·0	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	1	.	.
Coolock and Drumcondra, part of	14,300	14·6	.	4	.	.	1	.	.	1	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	.	.
Finglas and Glasnevin, part of	11,700	4·5	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.
South City, No. 1	45,300	8·1	1·2	7	2	1	.	.	.	3	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	1	.	.	4	.	1	1	.
" 2	19,100	10·9	.	4	1	.	.	.	.	1	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	4	.	.	2	.
" 3	45,600	11·4	2·3	10	4	1	.	1	1	.	.	3	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	1	1	.	1	4	1	7	.	.
" 4	34,500	18·1	1·5	12	4	.	.	1	.	1	2	4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	1	.	.	1	.	1	7	1	5	1	2
New Kilmainham	10,900	4·8	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.
Urban Districts. Rathmines and Rathgar	41,500	10·1	.	8	.	.	1	.	.	1	1	5	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	.	.	1	5	2	2	.	.
Pembroke	31,100	13·4	1·7	8	1	1	.	.	.	.	2	4	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	1	1	1	1	.	.	.	3	.	1	.	.
Blackrock	9,900	15·8	.	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	1	.	.
Dún Laoghaire	17,500	17·9	3·0	6	1	1	.	.	2	1	.	1	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	1	.	.	.	.	1	1	1	2	.	.
Total City of Dublin	327,000	11·8	1·1	74	24	2	2	3	3	11	11	18	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	.	.	5	.	5	4	6	5	.	5	42	6	27	11	4
Total Urban Districts	100,000	13·0	1·0	25	2	2	1	.	2	2	5	11	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	1	2	5	1	1	.	.	2	11	3	6	.	.
Total Dublin Registration Area	427,000	12·1	1·1	99	26	4	3	3	5	13	16	29	.	.	.	1	1	2	.	.	.	6	2	10	5	7	5	.	7	53	9	33	11	4
Deaths relating to residents of localities situated outside the Registration Area (not included in above)				10	.	.	.	.	2	4	2	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	4	5	4	10	.	.
CITY OF CORK.																																		
Cork City Districts. Cork Urban, No. 1	13,455	11·6	.	3	1		.		2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	1	1	1		1	.
" 2	10,399	20·1	5·0	4	1		.		.	2	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	2	.		4	.
" 3	9,793	.	.	.	.		.		.		.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.		.	.
" 4	9,139	11·4	.	2	.		.		.	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.		1	.
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" 7	16,056	9·7	.	3	1		.		1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	2	.		.	.
Total City of Cork	76,673	8·2	0·7	12	3		.		3	3	1	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	1	2	1	.	1	5	1		6	.

* The populations given for the City of Cork and its component parts are those according to the Census of 1911.

† See note (†) at foot of first page.

TABLE III.—Showing the NUMBER of CASES of INFECTIOUS DISEASES notified in the Dublin Registration Area (viz. :—the City of Dublin, and the Urban Districts of Rathmines and Rathgar, Pembroke, Blackrock and Dún Laoghaire), and in the Cities of Cork, Limerick, and Waterford, during the week ended 26th August, 1922, and each of the preceding three weeks, as furnished by the respective Sanitary Authorities. A dash (—) denotes that the disease in question is not notifiable in the District.

Cities and Urban Districts.	Week ending	Enteric Fever.	Typhus.	Pyrexia—Continued Fever.	Relapsing Fever.	Small-pox.	Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Whooping-cough.	Diphtheria (including Membranous Croup).	Erysipelas.	Puerperal Fever.	Diarrhœal Diseases.	Dysentery	Malaria.	Trench Fever	Acute Primary Pneumonia and Acute Influenzal Pneumonia	Cerebro-spinal Fever	Acute Poliomyelitis.	Encephalitis Lethargica	Tuberculosis.	Total.
City of Dublin	Aug. 5	.	.	.	.	.	—	18	—	5	1	1	—	.	.	.	4	.	.	—	6	35
	Aug. 12	1	.	.	.	.	—	2	—	1	5	.	—	.	.	.	1	.	.	—	13	23
	Aug. 19	2	.	.	.	.	—	6	—	1	.	.	—	.	.	.	3	.	.	—	9	21
	Aug. 26	2	.	.	.	.	—	4	—	3	.	.	—	.	.	.	2	.	.	—	9	20
Rathmines & Rathgar Urban District	Aug. 5	.	.	.	.	.	—	2	—	2	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	4
	Aug. 12	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	.
	Aug. 19	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	1	.	.	—	—	1
	Aug. 26	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	.
Pembroke Urban District	Aug. 5	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.
	Aug. 12	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.
	Aug. 19	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	1
	Aug. 26	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	1
Blackrock Urban District	Aug. 5	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.
	Aug. 12	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.
	Aug. 19	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.
	Aug. 26	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.
Dún Laoghaire Urban District	Aug. 5	.	.	.	.	.	—	1	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	1
	Aug. 12	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.
	Aug. 19	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.
	Aug. 26	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.
City of Cork	Aug. 5	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	3	.	.	3	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	—	6
	Aug. 12	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	5	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	—	5
	Aug. 19	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	5	.	.	4	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	—	9
	Aug. 26	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	7	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	—	7
City of Limerick	Aug. 5	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	2	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	2
	Aug. 12	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	2	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	2
	Aug. 19	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	1	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	1
	Aug. 26	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	.
City of Waterford	Aug. 5	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	.	.
	Aug. 12	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	.	.
	Aug. 19	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	.	.
	Aug. 26	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	.	.

TABLE IV.—Showing the NUMBER of CASES of the undermentioned DISEASES treated in Dublin Hospitals during the week ended Saturday, 26th August, 1922, with the number under treatment at the close of each of the last four weeks;

Diseases	No. of Cases in Hospital at close of week ended			Week ended 26th August.			
	Aug. 5	Aug. 12	Aug. 19	No. admitted.	Dis-charged.	Died.	No. under treatment at close of week.
Enteric Fever, ...	4	6	6	2	1	.	7
Typhus, ...	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Small-pox, ...	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Measles, ...	14	11	4	1	1	.	4
Scarlet Fever,..	55	51	40	4	13	1	30*
Diphtheria, ...	21	21	19	3	3	.	19
Pneumonia, ...	17	13	11	.	1	.	10

* Exclusive of 16 patients in "Beneavin," the Convalescent Home of Cork Street Fever Hospital.

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TWELVE TOWN DISTRICTS.

The Births and Deaths * registered in the Dublin Registration Area and in eleven provincial Urban Districts of the Irish Free State, with the annual rates per 1,000 of the population represented thereby, which, for the purposes of these Returns, is estimated at 662,256, are given in Table I. The deaths from all causes appertaining to the undermentioned areas for last week and for the past four weeks, respectively, were equal to the following annual rates per 1,000 of the population:—

Twelve Town Districts, 12·8 and 12·9; Dublin Registration Area, 12·9 and 12·5; Dublin City, 12·3 and 12·4; Cork, 11·6 and 10·9; Limerick, 10·8 and 20·0; and Waterford, 7·6 and 16·1.

The deaths* from certain epidemic diseases† registered in the 12 town districts during last week were equal to an annual rate of 1·3 per 1,000. Among the 17 deaths from all causes for Cork are 2 from diphtheria, one of the 8 deaths from all causes for Limerick is also from diphtheria, and the 9 deaths from all causes for Wexford include 2 from measles and one from diarrhœa and enteritis of a child under 2 years.

DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA.

In the Dublin Registration Area the total number of births registered during the week amounted to 192—85 boys and 107 girls—and the deaths to 112—62 males and 50 females.

The deaths registered, omitting the deaths (numbering 6) of persons admitted to public institutions from localities outside the Dublin Registration Area, represent an annual rate of mortality of 12·9 per 1,000 of the population. During the thirty-five weeks ending with Saturday last, the death-rate averaged 18·6 and was 2·1 below the mean rate for the corresponding portions of the ten years, 1912-1921. The rate for all deaths registered during the thirty-five weeks was 20·2 and for the corresponding period of the preceding ten years 22·2.

Included in the 106 deaths appertaining to the Area are one from whooping-cough, and 9 from diarrhœa and enteritis of children under 2 years. In the three preceding weeks, deaths from whooping-cough, were 0, 0, and 2; and deaths from diarrhœa and enteritis of children under 2 years 4, 5, and 5.

There were 6 deaths from pneumonia, comprising one from broncho-pneumonia, and 5 from pneumonia (not otherwise defined).

Tuberculous disease caused 13 deaths (including 10 from pulmonary tuberculosis, one from tuberculous meningitis, and 2 from other forms of tuberculosis), as against 14, 18, and 8 from all forms of tuberculous disease in the three weeks preceding.

Three deaths were caused by cancer, 24 by organic diseases of the heart, and 3 by bronchitis.

Two accidental deaths were registered, and there were 4 cases of homicide.

Among deaths of infants under one year old, one was due to whooping-cough, one to tuberculous meningitis, one to general tuberculosis, one to meningitis, 3 to convulsions, one to pneumonia, 7 to diarrhœa and enteritis, 4 to premature birth, and 3 to congenital debility.

Thirty of the deaths registered during the week, appertaining to the Area, were those of children under 5 years of age, 23 being infants under one year, of whom 5 were under one month old, and 29 deaths were those of persons aged 65 and upwards, of whom 17 were 70 years of age or over.

Of the 106 deaths recorded, 40 occurred in hospitals and other public institutions.

ENGLAND AND SCOTLAND.

The mortality among civilians for the week ended 2nd September in 105 large English towns (including London in which the rate was 8·3) was equal to an average annual death rate of 8·9 per 1,000 of the estimated civil population.

The average death-rate for 16 principal towns of Scotland was 10·8 per 1,000 persons living, the rate for Glasgow being 10·8 and for Edinburgh 10·3.

* Exclusive of the deaths of persons admitted into public institutions from without the respective districts.
† Enteric fever, typhus, small-pox, measles, scarlet fever, whooping-cough, diphtheria, dysentery, and diarrhœal diseases.

TABLE I.—BIRTHS and DEATHS registered during the week ended Saturday, 2ND SEPTEMBER, 1922, in the DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA, in each of the under-mentioned 11 CITIES OR URBAN DISTRICTS, and in BELFAST and LONDONDERRY CITIES (*exclusive of Births and Deaths in Public Institutions relating to Persons admitted from other Districts*), the Number of Deaths from some of the PRINCIPAL CAUSES, and the Number of Uncertified Deaths with the Temperature and Rainfall for the week; also particulars regarding Births, Deaths and Meteorology in London, Edinburgh, and Glasgow.

TOWNS AND DISTRICTS.	POPULATION. Total (a)	Persons to an Acre.	Annual Rate per 1,000 Persons Represented by BIRTHS.	DEATHS. From all Causes.	DEATHS. From certain Epidemic Diseases. (b)	REGISTRATION—WEEK ENDED SATURDAY, 2ND SEPTEMBER, 1922. NUMBERS REGISTERED. BIRTHS. Total Number	DEATHS. Total Number	Under 1 year of Age.	At 65 years and upwards.	Caused by: Enteric Fever.	Typhus.	Small-pox.	Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Whooping-cough.	Diphtheria.	Dysentery.	Influenza.	Tuberculosis. Pulmonary.	Tuberculosis. Other Forms.	Cancer.	Diseases of the Respiratory System. Pneumonia.	Diseases of the Respiratory System. Other.	Diarrhœa and Enteritis of children under 2 years of age.	Diarrhœa, 2 years of age and upwards.	Violence.	Inquest Cases.	No. of Deaths in Public Institutions.	Number of Uncertified Deaths.	METEOROLOGY. (c) WEEK ENDED 2ND SEPTEMBER, 1922. Air Temperature. Absolute Highest.	Absolute Lowest.	Mean Maximum (A).	Mean Minimum (B).	Mean of (A) and (B).	Rainfall in Inches.
COLS.	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)	(14)	(15)	(16)	(17)	(18)	(19)	(20)	(21)	(22)	(23)	(24)	(25)	(26)	(27)	(28)	(29)	(30)	(31)	(32)	(33)	(34)	(35)
TOTAL OF 12 TOWN DISTRICTS ...	662,256	18·9	20·5	12·8	1·3	260	162	30	36	.	.	.	2	.	1	3	.	.	14	6	5	10	6	11	.	9	10	56	8	.	.	.	.	.	.
DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA	427,000	30·5	21·6	12·9	1·2	177	106	23	29	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	10	3	3	6	4	9	.	6	7	40	3	(d)65·0	39·0	60·7	46·1	53·4	2·24
Urban Districts. CITY OF DUBLIN	327,000	40·0	24·1	12·3	1·1	151	77	20	14	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	9	3	1	5	4	7	.	6	7	33	2	(e)65·1 (f)67·0	46·2 42·0	60·5 61·4	49·7 47·6	55·1 54·5	2·70 2·70
Urban Districts. RATHMINES and RATHGAR ...	41,500	24·2	11·3	15·1	.	9	12	1	7	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Urban Districts. PEMBROKE ...	31,100	19·8	13·4	11·7	3·4	8	7	2	4	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Urban Districts. BLACKROCK ...	9,900	9·1	26·3	26·3	.	5	5	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	1	.	.	.	.	.	.
Urban Districts. DÚN LAOGHAIRE	17,500	12·0	11·9	14·9	3·0	4	5	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	1	.	67	47	62·1	48·4	55·2	3·68
Urban Districts. CORK	76,673	28·6	12·9	11·6	1·4	19	17	2	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	3	2	.	1	.	.	.	1	1	7	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Urban Districts. LIMERICK ...	38,518	16·1	19·0	10·8	1·4	14	8	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.
Urban Districts. WATERFORD ...	27,464	19·1	36·1	7·6	.	19	4	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Urban Districts. GALWAY ...	13,255	2·5	The annual rates represented by the numbers of births and deaths registered for these urban districts will be shown in the Quarterly Summary of the Weekly Returns.			6	4	2	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.
Urban Districts. DUNDALK ...	13,128	9·5				6	5	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Urban Districts. DROGHEDA ...	12,501	8·4				3	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Urban Districts. WEXFORD ...	11,531	22·8				6	9	2	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	1	1	.	.	.	3	1	.	.	.	.	.	.
Urban Districts. SLIGO ...	11,163	2·8				3	3	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	65	40	61	47	54	1·32
Urban Districts. KILKENNY ...	10,514	11·4				3	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	64	43	6·12	4·71	5·41	1·37
Urban Districts. TRALEE ...	10,300	17·4				1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Urban Districts. CLONMEL ...	10,209	4·8				.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
BELFAST CITY	425,000	24·3	21·6	11·2	1·0	176	91	25	19	1	.	.	.	1	1	2	.	6	6	5	6	7	14	2	1	.	.	28	.	66·5	45·5	61·4	50·7	56·0	1·54
LONDONDERRY CITY ...	46,000	36·3	34·0	7·9	.	30	7	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	3	1	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
LONDON	4,514,405	—	—	8·3	—	1,794	721	71	249	2	.	.	6	2	2	11	—	—	53	9	89	50	48	10	4	38	84	359	.	74	43	67.3	50·0	58.7	0·72
EDINBURGH	420,500	—	—	10·3	1·0	175	83	6	35	.	.	.	3	.	5	.	—	—	—	—	—	7		.	—	4	—	—	—	64·0	48·0	60·6	50·1	55·4	0·36
GLASGOW	1,037,800	—	—	10·8	0·6	564	214g	31	56	1	.	.	1	1	2	1	—	—	—	—	—	24		5	—	15	—	—	—	65·3	47·3	62·5	50·9	56·7	1·14

(a) According to the Census of 1911, but in the cases of the Dublin Registration Area and its component parts, the population given is that estimated to the middle of 1922. The estimate shown for London relates to the civil population in 1921. The population given for Glasgow and Edinburgh is that estimated to the middle of 1922. (b) See note (†) at foot of first page. (c) The observations shown for Cork were taken at Roche's Point, and those for Sligo at Markree. (d) Observations at Ordnance Survey Office, Phœnix Park. (e) Observations by Sir John Moore, taken at Fitzwilliam Square. (f) Observations taken at the Botanic Gardens, Glasnevin. (g) Including one death from cerebro-spinal meningitis.

Table II.—Showing for the Week ended 2nd September, 1922, the number of Deaths of Residents of the several Registrars' Districts in the Dublin Registration Area, and in the City of Cork, the annual Rate per 1,000 of the Population of the respective Districts represented thereby, and by the Deaths from the principal Epidemic Diseases†; with the mortality from some of the principal causes; also the Deaths at certain age-periods, and the number of Uncertified Deaths, *the Deaths in Public Institutions being assigned to the Districts from which the deceased were admitted.*

WEEK ENDED SATURDAY, 2ND SEPTEMBER, 1922.

Registrars' Districts, &c.	Estimated Population middle of 1922.*	Annual Rate of Mortality per 1,000 Living represented by Deaths. From all causes	From certain Epidemic Diseases†	Total Deaths.	Deaths. Under 1 year.	1 and under 2.	2 and under 5.	5 and under 15.	15 and under 25.	25 and under 45.	45 and under 65.	65 and upwards.	Caused by: Enteric Fever.	Typhus.	Small-pox.	Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Whooping-cough.	Diphtheria.	Dysentery.	Influenza.	Tuberculosis. Pulmonary.	Other Forms.	Cancer.	Diseases of Respiratory System. Pneumonia.	Other.	Diarrhœa and Enteritis of Children under 2 years.	Diarrhœa, 2 years and upwards.	Violence.	Other Causes.	Inquest Cases.	In Institutions. In Hospitals, Prisons and Lunatic Asylums.	In Workhouse Hospitals.	Number of Uncertified Deaths.
Cols.	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)	(14)	(15)	(16)	(17)	(18)	(19)	(20)	(21)	(22)	(23)	(24)	(25)	(26)	(27)	(28)	(29)	(30)	(31)	(32)	(33)	(34)
DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA.																																		
Dublin City Districts. North City, No. 1, E.	31,600	19·8	5·0	12	4	1	.	1	1	2	1	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	3	.	1	6	1	5	2	.
" 1, W.	43,300	6·0	.	5	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	2	1	2	1	.
" 2	29,000	7·2	.	4	1	.	.	.	.	2	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	2	1	2	.	.
" 3	35,900	13·1	.	9	6	.	.	.	1	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	7	.	4	.	.
Clontarf and Howth, No. 1, part of	5,800	18·0	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	.	.
Coolock and Drumcondra, part of	14,300	10·9	.	3	.	.	1	.	.	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	3	.	.	.	.
Finglas and Glasnevin, part of	11,700	13·4	.	3	.	.	1	.	.	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	1	2	2	.	.
South City, No. 1	45,300	12·7	.	11	2	.	.	.	.	3	2	4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	1	.	1	2	.	.	.	5	.	1	2	.
" 2	19,100	13·6	.	5	.	1	.	.	.	2	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	3	1	2	.	.
" 3	45,600	10·3	1·1	9	2	1	1	1	.	.	3	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	1	.	.	6	.	3	.	.
" 4	34,500	16·6	4·5	11	4	.	.	1	.	3	2	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	1	1	3	.	1	3	1	4	2	1
New Kilmainham	10,900	14·4	.	3	1	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	1	1
Urban Districts. Rathmines and Rathgar	41,500	15·1	.	12	1	.	.	.	.	1	3	7	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	10	.	2	1	.
Pembroke	31,100	11·7	3·4	7	2	.	.	.	.	.	1	4	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	4	.	1	.	.
Blackrock	9,900	26·3	.	5	.	.	.	.	2	.	1	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	5	.	2	.	1
Dún Laoghaire	17,500	14·9	3·0	5	.	1	.	.	1	.	1	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	3	.	1	.	.
Total City of Dublin	327,000	12·3	1·1	77	20	3	3	3	4	14	16	14	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	9	3	1	5	4	7	.	6	42	7	25	8	2
Total Urban Districts	100,000	15·1	1·6	29	3	1	.	.	3	1	6	15	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	1	.	2	1	.	2	.	.	22	.	6	1	1
Total Dublin Registration Area	427,000	12·9	1·2	106	23	4	3	3	7	15	22	29	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	10	3	3	6	4	9	.	6	64	7	31	9	3
Deaths relating to residents of localities situated outside the Registration Area (not included in above)				6	.	.	.	1	.	2	1	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	1	.	.	.	2	1	2	5	1	.
CITY OF CORK.																																		
Cork City Districts. Cork Urban, No. 1	13,455	15·5	.	4	.	.	.	.	.	2	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	3	.	.
" 2	10,399	15·0	.	3	.	.	.	.	.	1	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.
" 3	9,793	10·6	5·3	2	.	.	.	1	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.
" 4	9,139	17·1	.	3	2	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	3	.	.	.	.
" 5	6,250	8·3	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.
" 6	11,581	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
" 7	16,056	13·0	3·2	4	.	1	.	1	.	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	1	1	1	2	.	.
Total City of Cork	76,673	11·6	1·4	17	2	1	.	2	.	4	5	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	3	2	.	1	.	.	.	1	8	1	7	.	.

* The populations given for the City of Cork and its component parts are those according to the Census of 1911.

† See note (†) at foot of first page.

TABLE III.—Showing the NUMBER of CASES of INFECTIOUS DISEASES notified in the Dublin Registration Area (viz. :—the City of Dublin, and the Urban Districts of Rathmines and Rathgar, Pembroke, Blackrock and Dún Laoghaire), and in the Cities of Cork, Limerick, and Waterford, during the week ended 2nd September 1922, and each of the preceding three weeks, as furnished by the respective Sanitary Authorities. A dash (—) denotes that the disease in question is not notifiable in the District.

Cities and Urban Districts.	Week ending	Enteric Fever.	Typhus.	Pyrexia—Continued Fever.	Relapsing Fever.	Small-pox.	Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Whooping-cough.	Diphtheria (including Membranous Croup).	Erysipelas.	Puerperal Fever.	Diarrhœal Diseases.	Dysentery	Malaria	Trench Fever	Acute Primary Pneumonia and Acute Influenzal Pneumonia	Cerebro-spinal Fever	Acute Poliomyelitis.	Encephalitis Lethargica	Tuberculosis.	Total.
City of Dublin	Aug. 12	1	.	.	.	.	—	2	—	1	5	.	—	.	.	.	1	.	.	—	13	23
	Aug. 19	2	.	.	.	.	—	6	—	1	.	.	—	.	.	.	3	.	.	—	9	21
	Aug. 26	2	.	.	.	.	—	4	—	3	.	.	—	.	.	.	2	.	.	—	9	20
	Sept. 2	.	.	.	.	.	—	2	—	5	5	.	—	.	.	.	2	.	.	—	7	21
Rathmines & Rathgar Urban District	Aug. 12	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	.
	Aug. 19	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	1	.	.	—	—	1
	Aug. 26	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	.
	Sept. 2	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	.
Pembroke Urban District	Aug. 12	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.
	Aug. 19	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	1
	Aug. 26	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	1
	Sept. 2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.
Blackrock Urban District	Aug. 12	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.
	Aug. 19	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.
	Aug. 26	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.
	Sept. 2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.
Dún Laoghaire Urban District	Aug. 12	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.
	Aug. 19	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.
	Aug. 26	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.
	Sept, 2	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.
City of Cork	Aug. 12	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	5	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	—	5
	Aug. 19	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	5	.	.	4	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	—	9
	Aug. 26	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	7	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	—	7
	Sept. 2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	4	.	1	3	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	—	8
City of Limerick	Aug. 12	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	2	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	2
	Aug. 19	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	1	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	1
	Aug. 26	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	.
	Sept, 2	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	.
City of Waterford	Aug. 12	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	.	.
	Aug. 19	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	.	.
	Aug. 26	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	.	.
	Sept. 2	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	.	.

TABLE IV.—Showing the NUMBER of CASES of the undermentioned DISEASES treated in Dublin Hospitals during the week ended Saturday, 2nd September, 1922, with the number under treatment at the close of each of the last four weeks.

Diseases	No. of Cases in Hospital at close of week ended			Week ended 2nd September.			
	Aug. 12	Aug. 19	Aug. 26	No. admitted.	Dis-charged.	Died.	No. unde treatment at close of week.
Enteric Fever, ...	6	6	7	1	1	.	7
Typhus, ...	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Small-pox, ...	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Measles, ...	11	4	4	.	.	.	4
Scarlet Fever, ...	51	40	30	8	9	.	29*
Diphtheria, ...	21	19	19	7	5	.	21
Pneumonia, ...	13	11	10	4	2	1	11

* Exclusive of 19 patients in "Beneavin," the Convalescent Home of Cork Street Fever Hospital.

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AND IN

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TWELVE TOWN DISTRICTS.

The Births and Deaths * registered in the Dublin Registration Area and in eleven provincial Urban Districts of the Irish Free State, with the annual rates per 1,000 of the population represented thereby, which, for the purposes of these Returns, is estimated at 662,256, are given in Table I. The deaths from all causes appertaining to the undermentioned areas for last week and for the past four weeks, respectively, were equal to the following annual rates per 1,000 of the population :—

Twelve Town Districts, 14·4 and 13·5; Dublin Registration Area, 13·6 and 13·1; Dublin City, 13·9 and 13·2; Cork, 18·4 and 13·0; Limerick, 12·2 and 15·6; and Waterford, 19·0 and 15·2.

The deaths* from certain epidemic diseases† registered in the 12 town districts during last week were equal to an annual rate of 1·7 per 1,000. Among the 27 deaths from all causes for Cork are 2 from diphtheria.

DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA.

In the Dublin Registration Area the total number of births registered during the week amounted to 233—125 boys and 108 girls—and the deaths to 124—66 males and 58 females.

The deaths registered, omitting the deaths (numbering 13) of persons admitted to public institutions from localities outside the Dublin Registration Area, represent an annual rate of mortality of 13·6 per 1,000 of the population. During the thirty-six weeks ending with Saturday, 9th September, the death-rate averaged 18·5 and was 2·1 below the mean rate for the corresponding portions of the ten years, 1912-1921. The rate for all deaths registered during the thirty-six weeks was 20·0 and for the corresponding period of the preceding ten years 22·1.

Included in the 111 deaths appertaining to the Area are one from whooping-cough, 2 from diphtheria, and 15 from diarrhœal diseases. In the three preceding weeks, deaths from whooping-cough, were 0, 2, and one; and deaths from diarrhœal diseases 5, 5, and 9. There were no deaths from diphtheria registered in the 3 preceding weeks.

There were 8 deaths from pneumonia, comprising 2 from broncho-pneumonia, and 6 from pneumonia (not otherwise defined).

Tuberculous disease caused 16 deaths (including 15 from pulmonary tuberculosis, and one from tuberculous peritonitis), as against 18, 8, and 13 from all forms of tuberculous disease in the three weeks preceding.

Six deaths were caused by cancer, 9 by organic diseases of the heart, and 9 by bronchitis.

Three accidental deaths were registered, and there were 4 cases of homicide.

Among deaths of infants under one year old, one was due to tuberculous peritonitis, 3 to convulsions, one to bronchitis, one to broncho-pneumonia, 2 to pneumonia, 14 to diarrhœa and enteritis, 2 to congenital malformations, one to premature birth, and 2 to congenital debility.

Thirty-five of the deaths registered during the week, appertaining to the Area, were those of children under 5 years of age, 29 being infants under one year, of whom 7 were under one month old, and 24 deaths were those of persons aged 65 and upwards, of whom 20 were 70 years of age or over.

Of the 111 deaths recorded, 46 occurred in hospitals and other public institutions.

ENGLAND AND SCOTLAND.

The mortality among civilians for the week ended 9th September, in 105 large English towns (including London in which the rate was 8·4) was equal to an average annual death rate of 8·9 per 1,000 of the estimated civil population.

The average death-rate for 16 principal towns of Scotland was 10·6 per 1,000 persons living, the rate for Glasgow being 11·3 and for Edinburgh 9·4.

* Exclusive of the deaths of persons admitted into public institutions from without the respective districts.
† Enteric fever, typhus, small-pox, measles, scarlet fever, whooping-cough, diphtheria, dysentery, and diarrhœa diseases.

TABLE I.—BIRTHS and DEATHS registered during the week ended Saturday, 9TH SEPTEMBER, 1922, in the DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA, in each of the under-mentioned 11 CITIES OR URBAN DISTRICTS, and in BELFAST and LONDONDERRY CITIES (*exclusive of Births and Deaths in Public Institutions relating to Persons admitted from other Districts*), the Number of Deaths from some of the PRINCIPAL CAUSES, and the Number of Uncertified Deaths with the Temperature and Rainfall for the week; also particulars regarding Births, Deaths and Meteorology in London, Edinburgh, and Glasgow.

TOWNS AND DISTRICTS.	POPULATION. Total (a)	Persons to an Acre.	Annual Rate per 1,000 Persons Represented by BIRTHS	DEATHS. From all Causes.	DEATHS. From certain Epidemic Diseases. (b)	REGISTRATION—WEEK ENDED SATURDAY, 9TH SEPTEMBER, 1922. NUMBERS REGISTERED. BIRTHS. Total Number	DEATHS. Total Number	Under 1 year of Age.	At 65 years and upwards.	Caused by: Enteric Fever.	Typhus.	Small-pox.	Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Whooping-cough.	Diphtheria.	Dysentery.	Influenza.	Tuberculosis. Pulmonary.	Tuberculosis. Other Forms.	Cancer.	Diseases of the Respiratory System. Pneumonia.	Diseases of the Respiratory System. Other.	Diarrhœa and Enteritis of children under 2 years of age.	Diarrhœa, 2 years of age and upwards.	Violence.	Inquest Cases.	No. of Deaths in Public Institutions.	Number of Uncertified Deaths.	METEOROLOGY. (c) WEEK ENDED 9TH SEPTEMBER, 1922. Air Temperature. Absolute Highest.	Absolute Lowest.	Mean Maximum (A).	Mean Minimum (B).	Mean of (A) and (B).	Rainfall in Inches.
COLS.	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)	(14)	(15)	(16)	(17)	(18)	(19)	(20)	(21)	(22)	(23)	(24)	(25)	(26)	(27)	(28)	(29)	(30)	(31)	(32)	(33)	(34)	(35)
TOTAL OF 12 TOWN DISTRICTS ...	662,256	18·9	30·4	14·4	1·7	386	183	37	38	.	.	.	.	.	1	4	.	1	26	2	15	9	16	14	2	11	11	69	9	.	.	.	.	.	.
DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA	427,000	30·5	27·1	13·6	2·2	222	111	29	24	.	.	.	.	.	1	2	.	.	15	1	6	8	12	14	1	7	9	46	2	(d)69·3	36·0	62·3	42·4	52·4	0·11
Urban Districts. CITY OF DUBLIN	327,000	40·0	28·9	13·9	2·4	181	87	22	13	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	.	13	.	4	6	10	12	1	6	9	39	2	(e)67·3 (f)71·0	45·0 40·0	62·0 62·5	49·4 46·8	55·7 54·7	0·20 0·15
Urban Districts. RATHMINES and RATHGAR ...	41,500	24·2	17·6	18·8	2·5	14	15	5	6	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	1	1	2	1	1	1	.	.	.	5	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Urban Districts. PEMBROKE ...	31,100	19·8	21·8	6·7	.	13	4	.	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Urban Districts. BLACKROCK ...	9,900	9·1	21·1	10·5	.	4	2	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Urban Districts. DÚN LAOGHAIRE	17,500	12·9	29·8	8·9	3·0	10	3	2	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	1	.	.	.	1	.	66	46	61·8	50·0	55·9	0·79
Urban Districts. CORK	76,673	28·6	34·7	18·4	1·4	51	27	5	7	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	4	.	2	1	3	.	.	2	.	8	2	.	.	.	.	.	.
Urban Districts. LIMERICK ...	38,518	16·1	60·9	12·2	.	45	9	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	5	2	.	.	.	.	.	.
Urban Districts. WATERFORD ...	27,464	19·1	24·7	19·0	.	13	10	1	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.
Urban Districts. GALWAY	13,255	2·5	The annual rates represented by the numbers of births and deaths registered for these urban districts will be shown in the Quarterly Summary of the Weekly Returns.			16	5	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Urban Districts. DUNDALK ...	13,128	9·5				3	3	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Urban Districts. DROGHEDA ...	12,501	8·4				8	6	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Urban Districts. WEXFORD ...	11,531	22·8				10	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Urban Districts. SLIGO	11,163	2·8				3	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	65	37	62	44	53	0·08
Urban Districts. KILKENNY ...	10,514	11·4				.	6	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	4	.	66	41	63·4	47·8	55·6	0·07
Urban Districts. TRALEE ...	10,300	17·4				8	2	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Urban Districts. CLONMEL	10,209	4·8				7	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
BELFAST CITY	425,000	24·3	22·6	13·0	0·4	184	106g	16	31	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	8	4	8	12	7	2	.	5	6	30	1	68·5	45·5	65·0	51·2	58·1	0·16
LONDONDERRY CITY ...	46,000	36·3	20·4	6·8	.	18	6	.	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.
LONDON	4,514,405	—	—	8·4	—	1,883	731	71	257	.	.	.	1	6	6	18	—	—	59	19	114	32	40	13	2	39	83	386	1	69	43	65·4	48·4	56·9	0·00
EDINBURGH	420,500	—	—	9·4	0·5	157	76	9	26	.	.	.	3	.	1	.	—	1	—	—	—	4		.	—	3	—	—	—	66·0	42·0	59·1	47·1	53·1	0·03
GLASGOW	1,037,800	—	—	11·3	0·5	506	224g	29	56	.	.	.	.	1	2	1	—	1	—	—	—	31		6	—	16	—	—	—	66·3	40·5	62·3	47·7	55·0	0·05

(a) According to the Census of 1911, but in the cases of the Dublin Registration Area and its component parts, the population given is that estimated to the middle of 1922. The estimate shown for London relates to the civil population in 1921. The population given for Glasgow and Edinburgh is that estimated to the middle of 1922. (b) See note (†) at foot of first page. (c) The observations shown for Cork were taken at Roche's Point, and those for Sligo at Markree. (d) Observations at Ordnance Survey Office, Phœnix Park. (e) Observations by Sir John Moore, taken at Fitzwilliam Square. (f) Observations taken at the Botanic Gardens, Glasnevin. (g) Including two deaths from cerebro-spinal meningitis for Belfast and one for Glasgow.

TABLE II.—Showing for the WEEK ENDED 9TH SEPTEMBER, 1922, the number of DEATHS of Residents of the several REGISTRARS' DISTRICTS in the DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA, and in the CITY OF CORK, the annual Rate per 1,000 of the Population of the respective Districts represented thereby, and by the Deaths from the principal Epidemic Diseases†; with the mortality from some of the principal causes; also the Deaths at certain age-periods, and the number of Uncertified Deaths, *the Deaths in Public Institutions being assigned to the Districts from which the deceased were admitted.*

WEEK ENDED SATURDAY, 9TH SEPTEMBER, 1922.

REGISTRARS' DISTRICTS, &c.	Estimated Population middle of 1922.*	Annual Rate of Mortality per 1,000 Living represented by Deaths. From all causes	From certain Epidemic Diseases†	Total Deaths.	Under 1 year.	1 and under 2.	2 and under 5.	5 and under 15.	15 and under 25.	25 and under 45.	45 and under 65.	65 and upwards.	Enteric Fever.	Typhus.	Small-pox.	Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Whooping-cough.	Diphtheria.	Dysentery.	Influenza.	Tuberculosis. Pulmonary.	Tuberculosis. Other Forms.	Cancer.	Diseases of Respiratory System. Pneumonia.	Diseases of Respiratory System. Other.	Diarrhœa and Enteritis of Children under 2 years.	Diarrhœa, 2 years and upwards.	Violence.	Other Causes.	Inquest Cases.	In Institutions. In Hospitals, Prisons and Lunatic Asylums.	In Institutions. In Workhouse Hospitals.	Number of Uncertified Deaths.
Cols.	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)	(14)	(15)	(16)	(17)	(18)	(19)	(20)	(21)	(22)	(23)	(24)	(25)	(26)	(27)	(28)	(29)	(30)	(31)	(32)	(33)	(34)
DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA.																																		
Dublin City Districts. North City, No. 1, E.	31,600	19·8	3·3	12	4	.	.	.	.	2	5	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	3	.	.	.	2	2	.	1	4	1	3	1	1
" 1, W.	43,300	16·9	3·6	14	3	1	.	1	3	3	1	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	1	2	3	.	1	5	1	2	1	.
" 2	29,000	10·8	.	6	1	.	.	.	1	1	2	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	2	2	2	1	1	.
" 3	35,900	8·7	2·9	6	1	.	1	.	.	2	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	1	.	3	.	2	.	1
Clontarf and Howth, No. 1, part of	5,800	9·0	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.
Coolock and Drumcondra, part of	14,300	10·9	.	3	1	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	2	.	1	.	.
Finglas and Glasnevin, part of	11,700	8·9	.	2	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.
South City, No. 1	45,300	10·4	2·3	9	1	.	2	.	1	3	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	.	2	.	1	1	.	.	.	1	2	1	3	3	.
" 2	19,100	19·1	.	7	.	.	.	2	.	2	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	.	5	2	4	1	.
" 3	45,600	20·6	3·4	18	6	.	1	.	1	2	2	6	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	3	.	1	3	3	3	.	.	5	.	5	5	.
" 4	34,500	9·1	3·0	6	4	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	2	.	.	2	1	3	.	.
New Kilmainham	10,900	14·4	4·8	3	1	.	.	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	1	1	2	.	.
Urban Districts. Rathmines and Rathgar	41,500	18·8	2·5	15	5	.	1	.	.	1	2	6	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	1	1	2	1	1	1	.	.	7	.	5	.	.
Pembroke	31,100	6·7	.	4	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	4	.	1	.	.
Blackrock	9,900	10·5	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.
Dún Laoghaire	17,500	8·9	3·0	3	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	1	.	.	.	.	1	.	.
Total City of Dublin	327,000	13·9	2·4	87	22	1	4	4	8	16	19	13	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	.	13	.	4	6	10	12	1	6	33	9	27	12	2
Total Urban Districts	100,000	12·5	1·6	24	7	.	1	.	1	1	3	11	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	2	1	2	2	2	2	.	1	11	.	7	.	.
Total Dublin Registration Area	427,000	13·6	2·2	111	29	1	5	4	9	17	22	24	.	.	.	.	.	1	2	.	.	15	1	6	8	12	14	1	7	44	9	34	12	2
Deaths relating to residents of localities situated outside the Registration Area (not included in above)				13	3	.	.	2	.	2	6	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	1	.	.	10	1	13	.	.
CITY OF CORK.																																		
Cork City Districts. Cork Urban, No. 1	13,455	19·4	.	5	.	.		1		.	.	4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	3	.	3		.
" 2	10,399	40·1	10·0	8	1	.		2		2	2	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	1	.	.	.	2	.	.	1	2	.	4		.
" 3	9,793	10·6	.	2	1	.		.		1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.		.
" 4	9,139	22·8	.	4	2	.		.		.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	2	.	.		.
" 5	6,250	25·0	.	3	.	1		.		.	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	2	.	.		1
" 6	11,581	9·0	.	2	.	.		1		1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.		.
" 7	16,056	9·7	.	3	1	.		.		1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	3	.	1		1
Total City of Cork	76,673	18·4	1·4	27	5	1		4		5	5	7	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	4	.	2	1	3	.	.	2	13	.	8		2

* The populations given for the City of Cork and its component parts are those according to the Census of 1911.

† See note (†) at foot of first page.

TABLE III.—Showing the NUMBER of CASES of INFECTIOUS DISEASES notified in the Dublin Registration Area (viz. :—the City of Dublin, and the Urban Districts of Rathmines and Rathgar, Pembroke, Blackrock and Dún Laoghaire), and in the Cities of Cork, Limerick, and Waterford, during the week ended 9th September 1922, and each of the preceding three weeks, as furnished by the respective Sanitary Authorities. A dash (—) denotes that the disease in question is not notifiable in the District.

Cities and Urban Districts.	Week ending	Enteric Fever.	Typhus.	Pyrexia—Continued Fever.	Relapsing Fever.	Small-pox.	Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Whooping-cough.	Diphtheria (including Membranous Croup).	Erysipelas.	Puerperal Fever.	Diarrhœal Diseases.	Dysentery.	Malaria.	Trench Fever.	Acute Primary Pneumonia and Acute Influenzal Pneumonia.	Cerebro-spinal Fever	Acute Poliomyelitis	Encephalitis Lethargica	Tuberculosis.	Total.
City of Dublin	Aug. 19	2	.	.	.	.	—	6	—	1	.	.	—	.	.	.	3	.	.	—	9	21
	Aug. 26	2	.	.	.	.	—	4	—	3	.	.	—	.	.	.	2	.	.	—	9	20
	Sept. 2	.	.	.	.	.	—	2	—	5	5	.	—	.	.	.	2	.	.	—	7	21
	Sept. 9	1	.	.	.	.	—	2	—	1	2	.	—	.	.	.	2	.	.	—	11	19
Rathmines & Rathgar Urban District	Aug. 19	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	1	.	.	—	—	1
	Aug. 26	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	.
	Sept. 2	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	.
	Sept. 9	.	.	.	.	.	—	3	—	1	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	4
Pembroke Urban District	Aug. 19	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	1
	Aug. 26	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	1
	Sept. 2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.
	Sept. 9	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	1
Blackrock Urban District	Aug. 19	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.
	Aug. 26	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.
	Sept. 2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.
	Sept. 9	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.
Dún Laoghaire Urban District	Aug. 19	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.
	Aug. 26	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.
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	Sept. 9	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.
City of Cork	Aug. 19	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	5	.	.	4	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	—	9
	Aug. 26	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	7	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	—	7
	Sept. 2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	4	.	1	3	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	—	8
	Sept. 9	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	10	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	—	11
City of Limerick	Aug. 19	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	1	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	1
	Aug. 26	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	.
	Sept. 2	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	.
	Sept. 9	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	.
City of Waterford	Aug. 19	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	.	.
	Aug. 26	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	.	.
	Sept. 2	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	.	.
	Sept. 9	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	.	.

TABLE IV.—Showing the NUMBER of CASES of the undermentioned DISEASES treated in Dublin Hospitals during the week ended Saturday, 9th September, 1922, with the number under treatment at the close of each of the last four weeks.

Diseases	No. of Cases in Hospital at close of week ended			Week ended 9th September			
	Aug. 19	Aug. 26	Sept. 2	No. admitted.	Dis-charged.	Died.	No. unde treatment at close of week.
Enteric Fever, ...	6	7	7	2	2	.	7
Typhus, ...	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Small-pox, ...	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Measles, ...	4	4	4	.	2	.	2
Scarlet Fever, ...	40	30	29	7	6	.	30*
Diphtheria, ...	19	19	21	3	3	2	19
Pneumonia, ...	11	10	11	2	4	.	9

* Exclusive of 15 patients in "Beneavin," the Convalescent Home of Cork Street Fever Hospital.

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TWELVE TOWN DISTRICTS.

The Births and Deaths * registered in the Dublin Registration Area and in eleven provincial Urban Districts of the Irish Free State, with the annual rates per 1,000 of the population represented thereby, which, for the purposes of these Returns, is estimated at 662,256, are given in Table I. The deaths from all causes appertaining to the undermentioned areas for last week and for the past four weeks, respectively, were equal to the following annual rates per 1,000 of the population :—

Twelve Town Districts, 10·0 and 12·6; Dublin Registration Area, 11·1 and 12·4; Dublin City, 11·2 and 12·3; Cork, 8·8 and 11·8; Limerick, 1·4 and 11·2; and Waterford, 5·7 and 11·9.

The deaths* from certain epidemic diseases† registered in the 12 town districts during last week were equal to an annual rate of 0·7 per 1,000. Among the 13 deaths from all causes for Cork are one from diphtheria, and 2 from diarrhœa and enteritis of children under 2 years.

DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA.

In the Dublin Registration Area the total number of births registered during the week amounted to 231—124 boys and 107 girls—and the deaths to 95—45 males and 50 females.

The deaths registered, omitting the deaths (numbering 4) of persons admitted to public institutions from localities outside the Dublin Registration Area, represent an annual rate of mortality of 11·1 per 1,000 of the population. During the thirty-seven weeks ending with Saturday, 16th September, the death-rate averaged 18·3 and was 2·2 below the mean rate for the corresponding portions of the ten years, 1912-1921. The rate for all deaths registered during the thirty-seven weeks was 19·8 and for the corresponding period of the preceding ten years 22·0.

Included in the 91 deaths appertaining to the Area are one from influenza, and 5 from diarrhœa and enteritis of children under 2 years. In the three preceding weeks deaths from diarrhœa and enteritis of children under 2 years were 5, 9, and 14. There were no deaths from influenza registered in the three preceding weeks.

There were 5 deaths from pneumonia, comprising 2 from broncho-pneumonia, and 3 from pneumonia (not otherwise defined).

Tuberculous disease caused 10 deaths (including 7 from pulmonary tuberculosis, and 3 from other forms of tuberculosis), as against 8, 13, and 16 from all forms of tuberculous disease in the three weeks preceding.

Eleven deaths were caused by cancer, 11 by organic diseases of the heart, and 7 by bronchitis.

One accidental death was registered, and there was one case of homicide.

Among deaths of infants under one year old, one was due to venereal disease, one to meningitis, one to convulsions, 5 to diarrhœa and enteritis, one to congenital malformation, one to premature birth, and 4 to congenital debility.

Twenty of the deaths registered during the week, appertaining to the Area, were those of children under 5 years of age, 16 being infants under one year, of whom 7 were under one month old, and 24 deaths were those of persons aged 65 and upwards, of whom 21 were 70 years of age or over.

Of the 91 deaths recorded, 49 occurred in hospitals and other public institutions.

ENGLAND AND SCOTLAND.

The mortality among civilians for the week ended 16th September, in 105 large English towns (including London in which the rate was 8·6) was equal to an average annual death rate of 9·0 per 1,000 of the estimated civil population.

The average death-rate for 16 principal towns of Scotland was 11·2 per 1,000 persons living, the rate for Glasgow being 12·0 and for Edinburgh 10·5.

* Exclusive of the deaths of persons admitted into public institutions from without the respective districts.
† Enteric fever, typhus, small-pox, measles, scarlet fever, whooping-cough, diphtheria, dysentery, and diarrhœa diseases.

Table I.—BIRTHS and DEATHS registered during the week ended Saturday, 16th September, 1922, in the Dublin Registration Area, in each of the under-mentioned 11 Cities or Urban Districts, and in Belfast and Londonderry Cities (*exclusive of Births and Deaths in Public Institutions relating to Persons admitted from other Districts*), the Number of Deaths from some of the Principal Causes, and the Number of Uncertified Deaths with the Temperature and Rainfall for the week; also particulars regarding Births, Deaths and Meteorology in London, Edinburgh, and Glasgow.

Towns and Districts.	Population. Total (a)	Population. Persons to an Acre.	Annual Rate per 1,000 Persons Represented by Births	Annual Rate per 1,000 Persons Represented by Deaths. From all Causes.	Annual Rate per 1,000 Persons Represented by Deaths. From certain Epidemic Diseases. (b)	Registration—Week ended Saturday, 16th September, 1922. Numbers Registered. Births. Total Number.	Deaths. Total Number.	Deaths. Under 1 year of Age.	Deaths. At 65 years and upwards.	Caused by: Enteric Fever.	Typhus.	Small-pox.	Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Whooping-cough.	Diphtheria.	Dysentery.	Influenza.	Tuberculosis. Pulmonary.	Tuberculosis. Other Forms.	Cancer.	Diseases of the Respiratory System. Pneumonia.	Diseases of the Respiratory System. Other.	Diarrhœa and Enteritis of children under 2 years of age.	Diarrhœa, 2 years of age and upwards.	Violence.	Inquest Cases.	No. of Deaths in Public Institutions.	Number of Uncertified Deaths.	Meteorology. (c) Week ended 16th September, 1922. Air Temperature. Absolute Highest.	Absolute Lowest.	Mean Maximum (A).	Mean Minimum (B).	Mean of (A) and (B).	Rainfall in Inches.
Cols.	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)	(14)	(15)	(16)	(17)	(18)	(19)	(20)	(21)	(22)	(23)	(24)	(25)	(26)	(27)	(28)	(29)	(30)	(31)	(32)	(33)	(34)	(35)
Total of 12 Town Districts ...	662,256	18·9	23·8	10·0	0·7	302	127	24	36	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	10	6	12	6	9	7	1	4	3	62	7	.	.	.	.	.	.
Dublin Registration Area	427,000	30·5	25·2	11·1	0·6	206	91	16	24	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	7	3	11	5	7	5	.	2	2	49	1	(d)68·7	34·0	60·6	43·1	51·9	0·62
Urban Districts. City of Dublin	327,000	40·0	28·4	11·2	0·8	178	70	14	18	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	5	3	8	2	6	5	.	1	1	38	1	((e)67 ((f)70·2	42 37·2	59·2 60·8	47·5 45·1	53·3 52·9	0·62 0·74
Urban Districts. Rathmines and Rathgar ...	41,500	24·2	21·4	10·1	.	17	8	1	4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	1	.	.	1	1	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Urban Districts. Pembroke ...	31,100	19·8	3·4	15·1	.	2	9	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	2	2	.	.	.	.	.	6	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Urban Districts. Blackrock ...	9,900	9·1	26·3	5·3	.	5	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Urban Districts. Dún Laoghaire	17,500	12·0	11·9	8·9	.	4	3	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	62	42	59·1	48·4	53·8	0·40
Urban Districts. Cork	76,673	28·6	22·4	8·8	2·0	33	13	6	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	1	.	.	1	.	2	.	1	.	4	2	.	.	.	.	.	.
Urban Districts. Limerick ...	38,518	16·1	14·9	1·4	.	11	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.
Urban Districts. Waterford ...	27,464	19·1	24·7	5·7	.	13	3	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Urban Districts. Galway	13,255	2·5	The annual rates represented by the numbers of births and deaths registered for these urban districts will be shown in the Quarterly Summary of the Weekly Returns.			4	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Urban Districts. Dundalk ...	13,128	9·5				7	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.
Urban Districts. Drogheda ...	12,501	8·4				4	4	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Urban Districts. Wexford ...	11,531	22·8				6	4	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.
Urban Districts. Sligo	11,163	2·8				4	6	.	5	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	4	1	64	36	59	45	52	0·92
Urban Districts. Kilkenny ...	10,514	11·4				9	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	68	37	60·8	45·7	53·2	0·40
Urban Districts. Tralee ...	10,300	17·4				.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Urban Districts. Clonmel	10,209	4·8				5	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Belfast City	425,000	24·3	26·4	11·5	0·5	215	94	18	24	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	5	3	10	13	9	2	1	8	9	18	.	64·8	42·0	60·7	50·6	55·6	0·36
Londonderry City ...	46,000	36·3	23·8	14·7	1·1	21	13	3	3	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	.	1	1	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
London	4,514,405	—	—	8·6	—	1,760	744	98	255	.	.	.	.	1	8	13	—	—	50	12	102	45	23	15	1	38	75	409	.	65	38	62·7	44·4	53·6	0·75
Edinburgh	420,500	—	—	10·5	0·1	162	85	9	33	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	—	—	16		1	—	2	—	—	—	61·0	42·0	57.3	48·0	52·6	0·50
Glasgow	1,037,800	—	—	12·0	0·7	507	238	38	56	.	.	.	.	.	5	4	—	1	—	—	—	32		4	—	11	—	—	—	59·0	39·5	57.5	45·9	51·7	0·60

(a) According to the Census of 1911, but in the cases of the Dublin Registration Area and its component parts, the population given is that estimated to the middle of 1922. The estimate shown for London relates to the civil population in 1921. The population given for Glasgow and Edinburgh is that estimated to the middle of 1922. (b) See note (†) at foot of first page. (c) The observations shown for Cork were taken at Roche's Point, and those for Sligo at Markree. (d) Observations at Ordnance Survey Office, Phœnix Park. (e) Observations by Sir John Moore, taken at Fitzwilliam Square. (f) Observations taken at the Botanic Gardens, Glasnevin.

TABLE II.—Showing for the WEEK ENDED 16TH SEPTEMBER, 1922, the number of DEATHS of Residents of the several REGISTRARS' DISTRICTS in the DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA, and in the CITY OF CORK, the annual RATE per 1,000 of the Population of the respective Districts represented thereby, and by the Deaths from the principal Epidemic Diseases†; with the mortality from some of the principal causes; also the Deaths at certain age-periods, and the number of Uncertified Deaths, *the Deaths in Public Institutions being assigned to the Districts from which the deceased were admitted.*

WEEK ENDED SATURDAY, 16TH SEPTEMBER, 1922.

REGISTRARS' DISTRICTS, &c.	Estimated Population middle of 1922.*	Annual Rate of Mortality per 1,000 Living represented by Deaths. From all causes	From certain Epidemic Diseases†	Total Deaths.	Under 1 year.	1 and under 2.	2 and under 5.	5 and under 15.	15 and under 25.	25 and under 45.	45 and under 65.	65 and upwards.	Enteric Fever.	Typhus.	Small-pox.	Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Whooping-cough.	Diphtheria.	Dysentery.	Influenza.	Tuberculosis. Pulmonary.	Tuberculosis. Other Forms.	Cancer.	Diseases of Respiratory System. Pneumonia.	Diseases of Respiratory System. Other.	Diarrhœa and Enteritis of Children under 2 years.	Diarrhœa, 2 years and upwards.	Violence.	Other Causes.	Inquest Cases.	In Institutions. In Hospitals, Prisons and Lunatic Asylums.	In Institutions. In Workhouse Hospitals.	Number of Uncertified Deaths.
Cols.	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)	(14)	(15)	(16)	(17)	(18)	(19)	(20)	(21)	(22)	(23)	(24)	(25)	(26)	(27)	(28)	(29)	(30)	(31)	(32)	(33)	34)
DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA.																																		
Dublin City Districts. North City, No. 1, E.	31,600	16·5	1·7	10	3	.	.	.	1	2	1	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	1	1	.	.	7	.	3	3	.
" 1, W.	43,300	16·9	.	14	4	1	1	.	.	2	3	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	2	2	.	.	1	8	1	8	2	.
" 2	29,000	3·6	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	.
" 3	35,900	11·6	2·9	8	2	1	.	.	.	2	2	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	2	.	.	4	.	4	.	.
Clontarf and Howth, No. 1, part of	5,800	18·0	.	2	.	.	.	1	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	.	.
Coolock and Drumcondra, part of	14,300	10·9	.	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	3	.	1	.	.
Finglas and Glasnevin, part of	11,700	4·5	.	1	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
South City, No. 1	45,300	4·6	.	4	.	.	.	.	2	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	3	.	2	1	.
" 2	19,100	13·6	2·7	5	1	.	.	.	.	.	2	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	1	.	.	2	.	1	2	.
" 3	45,600	11·4	.	10	1	.	.	.	1	3	2	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	2	.	2	.	.	.	4	.	3	3	1
" 4	34,500	12·1	.	8	2	.	1	.	.	1	2	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	7	.	3	.	.
New Kilmainham	10,900	14·4	4·8	3	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Urban Districts. Rathmines and Rathgar	41,500	10·1	.	8	1	.	.	.	1	1	1	4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	1	.	.	1	5	1	3	.	.
Pembroke	31,100	15·1	.	9	.	.	.	.	.	2	6	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	2	2	.	.	.	.	3	.	6	.	.
Blackrock	9,900	5·3	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.
Dún Laoghaire	17,500	8·9	.	3	1	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	1	.
Total City of Dublin	327,000	11·2	0·8	70	14	2	2	2	4	12	16	18	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	5	3	8	2	6	5	.	1	40	1	26	12	1
Total Urban Districts	100,000	11·0	.	21	2	.	.	.	1	5	7	6	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	2	.	3	3	1	.	.	1	10	1	10	1	.
Total Dublin Registration Area	427,000	11·1	0·6	91	16	2	2	2	5	17	23	24	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	7	3	11	5	7	5	.	2	50	2	36	13	1
Deaths relating to residents of localities situated outside the Registration Area (not included in above)				4	1	1	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	3	.	4	.	.
CITY OF CORK.																																		
Cork City Districts. Cork Urban, No. 1	13,455	11·6	.	3	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	1	1	.
" 2	10,399	25·1	10·0	5	3	1	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	2	.	1	1	.	1	1	.
" 3	9.793	16·0	.	3	1	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	3	.	1	.	.
" 4	9,139	5·7	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.
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Total City of Cork	76,673	8·8	2·0	13	6	1		.	3	1	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	1	.	.	1	.	2	.	1	7	.	4		2

* The populations given for the City of Cork and its component parts are those according to the Census of 1911.

† See note (†) at foot of first page.

TABLE III.—Showing the NUMBER of CASES of IFNECTIOUS DISEASES notified in the Dublin Registration Area (viz. :—the City of Dublin, and the Urban Districts of Rathmines and Rathgar, Pembroke, Blackrock and Dún Laoghaire), and in the Cities of Cork, Limerick, and Waterford, during the week ended 16th September 1922, and each of the preceding three weeks, as furnished by the respective Sanitary Authorities. A dash (—) denotes that the disease in question is not notifiable in the District.

Cities and Urban Districts.	Week ending	Enteric Fever.	Typhus.	Pyrexia—Continued Fever.	Relapsing Fever.	Small-pox.	Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Whooping-cough.	Diphtheria (including Membranous Croup).	Erysipelas.	Puerperal Fever.	Diarrhœal Diseases.	Dysentery.	Malaria.	Trench Fever	Acute Primary Pneumonia and Acute Influenzal Pneumonia.	Cerebro-spinal Fever	Acute Poliomyelitis	Encephalitis Lethargica.	Tuberculosis.	Total.
City of Dublin	Aug. 26	2	.	.	.	.	—	4	—	3	.	.	—	.	.	.	2	.	.	—	9	20
	Sept. 2	.	.	.	.	.	—	2	—	5	5	.	—	.	.	.	2	.	.	—	7	21
	Sept. 9	1	.	.	.	.	—	2	—	1	2	.	—	.	.	.	2	.	.	—	11	19
	Sept. 16	1	.	.	.	.	—	2	—	3	2	.	—	.	.	.	2	.	.	—	7	17
Rathmines & Rathgar Urban District	Aug. 26	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	.
	Sept. 2	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	.
	Sept. 9	.	.	.	.	.	—	3	—	1	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	4
	Sept. 16	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	.
Pembroke Urban District	Aug. 26	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	1
	Sept. 2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.
	Sept. 9	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	1
	Sept. 16	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	2
Blackrock Urban District	Aug. 26	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.
	Sept. 2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.
	Sept. 9	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.
	Sept. 16	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.
Dún Laoghaire Urban District	Aug. 26	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.
	Sept. 2	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.
	Sept. 9	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.
	Sept. 16	.	.	.	.	.	—	1	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	1
City of Cork	Aug. 26	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	7	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	—	7
	Sept. 2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	4	.	1	3	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	—	8
	Sept. 9	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	10	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	—	11
	Sept. 16	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	—	4	.	.	3	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	—	8*a*
City of Limerick	Aug. 26	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	.
	Sept. 2	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	.
	Sept. 9	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	.
	Sept. 16	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	.
City of Waterford	Aug. 26	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	.	.
	Sept. 2	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	.	.
	Sept. 9	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	.	.
	Sept. 16	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	.	.

(*a*) Not including one case of varicella.

TABLE IV.—Showing the NUMBER of CASES of the undermentioned DISEASES treated in Dublin Hospitals during the week ended Saturday, 16th September, 1922, with the number under treatment at the close of each of the last four weeks.

Diseases	No. of Cases in Hospital at close of week ended			Week ended 16th September.			
	Aug. 26	Sept. 2	Sept. 9	No. admitted.	Dis-charged.	Died.	No. under treatment at close of week.
Enteric Fever, ...	7	7	7	1	1	.	7
Typhus, ...	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Small-pox, ...	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Measles, ...	4	4	2	2	2	.	2
Scarlet Fever, ...	30	29	30	8	7	.	31*
Diphtheria, ...	19	21	19	2	4	.	17
Pneumonia, ...	10	11	9	3	2	1	9

* Exclusive of 7 patients in "Beneavin," the Convalescent Home of Cork Street Fever Hospital.

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TWELVE TOWN DISTRICTS.

The Births and Deaths * registered in the Dublin Registration Area and in eleven provincial Urban Districts of the Irish Free State, with the annual rates per 1,000 of the population represented thereby, which, for the purposes of these Returns, is estimated at 662,256, are given in Table I. The deaths from all causes appertaining to the undermentioned areas for last week and for the past four weeks, respectively, were equal to the following annual rates per 1,000 of the population :—

Twelve Town Districts, 11·3 and 12·1; Dublin Registration Area, 10·7 and 12·1; Dublin City, 11·5 and 12·2; Cork, 9·5 and 12·1; Limerick, 13·5 and 9·5; and Waterford, 15·2 and 11·9.

The deaths* from certain epidemic diseases† registered in the 12 town districts during last week were equal to an annual rate of 0·8 per 1,000. Among the 14 deaths from all causes for Cork is one from diphtheria, and one of the 4 deaths from all causes for Wexford is from measles.

DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA.

In the Dublin Registration Area the total number of births registered during the week amounted to 246—125 boys and 121 girls—and the deaths to 98—56 males and 42 females.

The deaths registered, omitting the deaths (numbering 10) of persons admitted to public institutions from localities outside the Dublin Registration Area, represent an annual rate of mortality of 10·7 per 1,000 of the population. During the thirty-eight weeks ending with Saturday, 23rd Sept., the death-rate averaged 18·1 and was 2·3 below the mean rate for the corresponding portions of the ten years, 1912-1921. The rate for all deaths registered during the thirty-eight weeks was 19·6 and for the corresponding period of the preceding ten years 21·9.

Included in the 88 deaths appertaining to the Area are 2 from whooping-cough, one from diphtheria, and 4 from diarrhœa and enteritis of children under 2 years. In the three preceding weeks deaths from whooping-cough were one, one, and 0; deaths from diphtheria 0, 2, and 0; and deaths from diarrhœa and enteritis of children under 2 years 9, 14, and 5.

There were 4 deaths from pneumonia, comprising 2 from lobar pneumonia, and 2 from pneumonia (not otherwise defined).

Tuberculous disease caused 16 deaths (including 14 from pulmonary tuberculosis, and 2 from other forms of tuberculosis), as against 13, 16, and 10 from all forms of tuberculous disease in the three weeks preceding.

Nine deaths were caused by cancer, 7 by organic diseases of the heart, and 6 by bronchitis.

Five accidental deaths were registered, of which one (a child aged 1 year 7 months) was caused by scalds and 2 by gunshot wounds and there were 4 cases of homicide.

Among deaths of infants under one year old, one was due to erysipelas, 2 to convulsions, 3 to diarrhœa and enteritis, one to congenital malformation, and 2 to congenital debility.

Nineteen of the deaths registered during the week, appertaining to the Area, were those of children under 5 years of age, 11 being infants under one year, of whom 5 were under one month old, and 19 deaths were those of persons aged 65 and upwards, of whom 14 were 70 years of age or over.

Of the 88 deaths recorded, 39 occurred in hospitals and other public institutions.

ENGLAND AND SCOTLAND.

The mortality among civilians for the week ended 23rd September, in 105 large English towns (including London in which the rate was 9·4) was equal to an average annual death rate of 9·8 per 1,000 of the estimated civil population.

The average death-rate for 16 principal towns of Scotland was 11·3 per 1,000 persons living, the rate for Glasgow being 11·3 and for Edinburgh 12·5.

* Exclusive of the deaths of persons admitted into public institutions from without the respective districts.
† Enteric fever, typhus, small-pox, measles, scarlet fever, whooping-cough, diphtheria, dysentery, and diarrhœa diseases.

TABLE I.—BIRTHS and DEATHS registered during the week ended Saturday, 23rd SEPTEMBER, 1922, in the DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA, in each of the under-mentioned 11 CITIES OR URBAN DISTRICTS, and in BELFAST and LONDONDERRY CITIES (*exclusive of Births and Deaths in Public Institutions relating to Persons admitted from other Districts*), the Number of Deaths from some of the PRINCIPAL CAUSES, and the Number of Uncertified Deaths with the Temperature and Rainfall for the week; also particulars regarding Births, Deaths and Meteorology in London, Edinburgh, and Glasgow.

TOWNS AND DISTRICTS.	POPULATION. Total (a)	Persons to an Acre.	REGISTRATION—WEEK ENDED SATURDAY, 23rd SEPTEMBER, 1922. Annual Rate per 1,000 Persons Represented by BIRTHS.	DEATHS. From all Causes.	DEATHS. From certain Epidemic Diseases. (b)	NUMBERS REGISTERED. BIRTHS. Total Number.	DEATHS. Total Number.	Under 1 year of Age.	At 65 years and upwards.	Caused by: Enteric Fever.	Typhus.	Small-pox.	Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Whooping-cough.	Diphtheria.	Dysentery.	Influenza.	Tuberculosis. Pulmonary.	Tuberculosis. Other Forms.	Cancer.	Diseases of the Respiratory System. Pneumonia.	Diseases of the Respiratory System. Other.	Diarrhœa and Enteritis of children under 2 years of age.	Diarrhœa, 2 years of age and upwards.	Violence.	Inquest Cases.	No. of Deaths in Public Institutions.	Number of Uncertified Deaths.	METEOROLOGY. (c) WEEK ENDED 23rd SEPTEMBER, 1922. Air Temperature. Absolute Highest.	Absolute Lowest.	Mean Maximum (A).	Mean Minimum (B).	Mean of (A) and (B).	Rainfall in Inches.
COLS.	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)	(14)	(15)	(16)	(17)	(18)	(19)	(20)	(21)	(22)	(23)	(24)	(25)	(26)	(27)	(28)	(29)	(30)	(31)	(32)	(33)	(34)	(35)
TOTAL OF 12 TOWN DISTRICTS ...	662,256	18·9	26·3	11·3	0·8	334	143	15	40	.	.	.	1	.	2	2	.	.	19	5	17	5	15	5	.	13	10	51	3	.	.	.	.	.	.
DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA	427,000	30·5	27·0	10·7	0·9	221	88	11	19	.	.	.	.	.	2	1	.	.	14	2	9	4	8	4	.	9	7	39	1	(d)65·2	35·0	60·6	44·3	52·4	1·02
Urban Districts. CITY OF DUBLIN	327,000	40·0	27·4	11·5	0·8	172	72	9	14	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	.	13	1	6	3	7	3	.	8	7	36	1	(e)65·5 (f)66·0	41·0 34·0	60·7 61·0	48·9 45·7	54·8 53·3	0·76 0·82
Urban Districts. RATHMINES and RATHGAR ...	41,500	24·2	12·6	6·3	.	10	5	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Urban Districts. PEMBROKE ...	31,100	19·8	45·3	6·7	3·4	27	4	1	2	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Urban Districts. BLACKROCK ...	9,900	9·1	26·3	5·3	.	5	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Urban Districts. DÚN LAOGHAIRE	17,500	12·0	20·9	17·9	.	7	6	1	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	71	40	63·7	50·3	57·0	0·43
Urban Districts. CORK	76,673	28·6	24·5	9·5	0·7	36	14	.	6	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	2	1	2	.	4	1	.	1	1	6	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Urban Districts. LIMERICK ...	38,518	16·1	31·1	13·5	1·4	23	10	3	4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Urban Districts. WATERFORD ...	27,464	19·1	26·6	15·2	.	14	8	.	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	1	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.
Urban Districts. GALWAY	13,255	2·5	The annual rates			7	7	.	4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	2	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Urban Districts. DUNDALK ...	13,128	9·5	represented by the			3	3	1	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Urban Districts. DROGHEDA ...	12,501	8·4	numbers of births			8	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Urban Districts. WEXFORD ...	11,531	22·8	and deaths regis-			6	4	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.
Urban Districts. SLIGO	11,163	2·8	tered for these			2	3	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	64	34	59	43	51	1·87
Urban Districts. KILKENNY ...	10,514	11·4	urban districts will			6	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	68	35	61·2	48·2	54·7	1·04
Urban Districts. TRALEE ...	10,300	17·4	be shown in the			3	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Urban Districts. CLONMEL	10,209	4·8	Quarterly Summary			5	2	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
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BELFAST CITY	425,000	24·3	24·3	11·5	0·1	198	94	14	24	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	9	2	7	13	7	1	.	7	6	33	1	63·8	42·5	59·0	48·5	53·8	1·18
LONDONDERRY CITY ...	46,000	36·3	26·1	9·1	.	23	8	1	4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.
LONDON	4,514,405	—	—	9·4	—	1,753	818	98	289	3	.	1	2	.	3	16	—	—	89	19	106	51	36	11	5	36	64	409	.	73	45	65·9	51·9	58·9	0·64
EDINBURGH	420,500	—	—	12·5	1·2	190	101	18	37	.	.	.	5	1	1	1	—	1	—	—	—	13		2	—	3	—	—	—	62·6	36·0	56·3	43·9	50·1	0·40
GLASGOW	1,037,800	—	—	11·3	0·9	480	225g	42	59	.	1	.	.	3	3	3	—	1	—	—	—	34		9	—	12	—	—	—	60·6	37·9	56·0	43·6	49·8	0·85

(a) According to the Census of 1911, but in the cases of the Dublin Registration Area and its component parts, the population given is that estimated to the middle of 1922. The estimate shown for London relates to the civil population in 1921. The population given for Glasgow and Edinburgh is that estimated to the middle of 1922. (b) See note (†) at foot of first page. (c) The observations shown for Cork were taken at Roche's Point, and those for Sligo at Markree. (d) Observations at Ordnance Survey Offices, Phœnix Park. (e) Observations by Sir John Moore, taken at Fitzwilliam Square. (f) Observations taken at the Botanic Gardens, Glasnevin. (g) Including two deaths from cerebro-spinal meningitis.

TABLE II.—Showing for the WEEK ENDED 23RD SEPTEMBER, 1922, the number of DEATHS of Residents of the several REGISTRARS' DISTRICTS in the DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA, and in the CITY OF CORK, the annual Rate per 1,000 of the Population of the respective Districts represented thereby, and by the Deaths from the principal Epidemic Diseases†; with the mortality from some of the principal causes; also the Deaths at certain age-periods, and the number of Uncertified Deaths, *the Deaths in Public Institutions being assigned to the Districts from which the deceased were admitted.*

WEEK ENDED SATURDAY, 23RD SEPTEMBER, 1922.

REGISTRARS' DISTRICTS, &c.	Estimated Population middle of 1922.*	Annual Rate of Mortality per 1,000 Living represented by Deaths. From all causes	From certain Epidemic Diseases†	Total Deaths.	DEATHS. Under 1 year.	1 and under 2.	2 and under 5.	5 and under 15.	15 and under 25.	25 and under 45.	45 and under 65.	65 and upwards.	Caused by: Enteric Fever.	Typhus.	Small-pox.	Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Whooping-cough.	Diphtheria.	Dysentery.	Influenza.	Tuberculosis. Pulmonary.	Other Forms.	Cancer.	Diseases of Respiratory System. Pneumonia.	Other.	Diarrhœa and Enteritis of Children under 2 years.	Diarrhœa, 2 years and upwards.	Violence.	Other Causes.	Inquest Cases.	In Institutions. In Hospitals, Prisons and Lunatic Asylums.	In Workhouse Hospitals.	Number of Uncertified Deaths.
Cols.	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)	(14)	(15)	(16)	(17)	(18)	(19)	(20)	(21)	(22)	(23)	(24)	(25)	(26)	(27)	(28)	(29)	(30)	(31)	(32)	(33)	34)
DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA.																																		
Dublin City Districts. North City, No. 1, E.	31,600	19·8	.	12	1	1	.	.	1	3	6	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	1	.	2	.	.	.	7	.	1	3	1
" 1, W.	43,300	12·0	.	10	2	.	.	2	.	1	1	4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	6	.	4	.	.
" 2	29,000	14·4	.	8	.	1	.	.	.	4	1	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	4	.	.	.	2	.	.	1	1	1	4	3	.
" 3	35,900	4·4	.	3	.	.	.	.	1	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	.	.
Clontarf and Howth, No. 1, part of	5,800	9·0	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.
Coolock and Drumcondra, part of	14,300	3·6	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.
Finglas and Glasnevin, part of	11,700	8·9	.	2	1	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	.	.
South City, No. 1	45,300	13·8	.	12	.	.	.	.	4	2	3	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	3	1	1	.	2	.	.	4	1	4	5	3	.
" 2	19,100	19·1	2·7	7	1	1	.	.	.	.	4	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	1	.	1	3	.	.	3	.
" 3	45,600	11·4	2·3	10	2	.	1	.	.	2	3	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	1	.	1	2	.	1	.	1	3	1	7	1	.
" 4	34,500	6·0	3·0	4	2	1	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	1	1	2	.	.
New Kilmainham	10,900	9·6	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.
Urban Districts. Rathmines and Rathgar	41,500	6·3	.	5	.	.	1	.	.	2	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	1	.	.	.	.	2	.	2	.	.
Pembroke	31,100	6·7	3·4	4	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	1	.	.	1	.	.	.	.
Blackrock	9,900	5·3	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	1	.	.
Dún Laoghaire	17,500	17·9	.	6	1	.	1	.	.	.	2	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	3	.	.	.	.
Total City of Dublin	327,000	11·5	0·8	72	9	4	1	2	6	13	23	14	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	.	13	1	6	3	7	3	.	8	29	7	23	13	1
Total Urban Districts	100,000	8·3	1·0	16	2	1	2	.	.	3	3	5	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	1	1	3	1	1	1	.	1	6	.	3	.	.
Total Dublin Registration Area	427,000	10·7	0·9	88	11	5	3	2	6	16	26	19	.	.	.	.	.	2	1	.	.	14	2	9	4	8	4	.	9	35	7	26	13	1
Deaths relating to residents of localities situated outside the Registration Area (not included in above)				10	2	.	.	.	1	2	4	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	1	.	1	.	.	6	.	10	.	.
CITY OF CORK.																																		
Cork City Districts. Cork Urban, No. 1	13,455	19·4	.	5	.	.	.	.	.	1	2	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	1	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	3	.	.
" 2	10,399	15·0	.	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.
" 3	9,793	10·6	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.
" 4	9,139	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
" 5	6,250	16·7	.	2	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	1	.	.
" 6	11,581	4·5	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.
" 7	16,056	3·2	3.2	1	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.
Total City of Cork	76,673	9·5	0·7	14	.	.	.	2	.	1	5	6	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	2	1	2	.	4	.	.	1	3	1	6	.	.

* The populations given for the City of Cork and its component parts are those according to the Census of 1911.

† See note (†) at foot of first page.

TABLE III.—Showing the NUMBER of CASES of INFECTIOUS DISEASES notified in the Dublin Registration Area (viz. :—the City of Dublin, and the Urban Districts of Rathmines and Rathgar, Pembroke, Blackrock and Dún Laoghaire), and in the Cities of Cork, Limerick, and Waterford, during the week ended 23rd September, 1922, and each of the preceding three weeks, as furnished by the respective Sanitary Authorities. A dash (—) denotes that the disease in question is not notifiable in the District.

Cities and Urban Districts.	Week ending	Enteric Fever.	Typhus.	Pyrexia—Continued Fever.	Relapsing Fever.	Small-pox.	Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Whooping-cough.	Diphtheria (including Membranous Croup).	Erysipelas.	Puerperal Fever.	Diarrhœal Diseases.	Dysentery	Malaria.	Trench Fever	Acute Primary Pneumonia and Acute Influenzal Pneumonia	Cerebro-spinal Fever	Acute Poliomyelitis	Encephalitis Lethargica	Tuberculosis.	Total.
City of Dublin	Sept. 2	.	.	.	.	.	—	2	—	5	5	.	—	.	.	.	2	.	.	—	7	21
	Sept. 9	1	.	.	.	.	—	2	—	1	2	.	—	.	.	.	2	.	.	—	11	19
	Sept. 16	1	.	.	.	.	—	2	—	3	2	.	—	.	.	.	2	.	.	—	7	17
	Sept. 23	.	.	.	.	.	—	2	—	3	1	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	3	9
Rathmines & Rathgar Urban District	Sept. 2	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	.
	Sept. 9	.	.	.	.	.	—	3	—	1	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	4
	Sept. 16	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	.
	Sept. 23	.	.	.	.	.	—	9	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	9
Pembroke Urban District	Sept. 2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.
	Sept. 9	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	1
	Sept. 16	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	2
	Sept. 23	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.
Blackrock Urban District	Sept. 2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.
	Sept. 9	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.
	Sept. 16	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.
	Sept. 23	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.
Dún Laoghaire Urban District	Sept. 2	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.
	Sept. 9	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.
	Sept. 16	.	.	.	.	.	—	1	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	1
	Sept. 23	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	1	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	1
City of Cork	Sept. 2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	4	.	1	3	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	—	8
	Sept. 9	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	10	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	—	11
	Sept. 16	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	—	4	.	.	3	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	—	8*a*
	Sept. 23	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	5	.	.	2	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	—	7
City of Limerick	Sept. 2	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	.
	Sept. 9	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	.
	Sept. 16	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	.
	Sept. 23	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	.
City of Waterford	Sept. 2	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	.	.
	Sept. 9	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	.	.
	Sept. 16	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	.	.
	Sept. 23	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	.	.

(*a*) Not including one case of varicella.

TABLE IV.—Showing the NUMBER of CASES of the undermentioned DISEASES treated in Dublin Hospitals during the week ended Saturday, 23rd September, 1922, with the number under treatment at the close of each of the last four weeks.

Diseases	No. of Cases in Hospital at close of week ended			Week ended 23rd September.			
	Sept. 2	Sept. 9	Sept. 16	No. admitted.	Dis-charged.	Died.	No. under treatment at close of week.
Enteric Fever, ...	7	7	7	1	1	1	6
Typhus, ...	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Small-pox, ...	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Measles, ...	4	2	2	.	1	.	1
Scarlet Fever, ...	29	30	31	11	6	.	36*
Diphtheria, ...	21	19	17	4	1	.	20
Pneumonia, ...	11	9	9	3	1	1	10

* Exclusive of 10 patients in "Beneavin," the Convalescent Home of Cork Street Fever Hospital.

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TWELVE TOWN DISTRICTS.

The Births and Deaths * registered in the Dublin Registration Area and in eleven provincial Urban Districts of the Irish Free State, with the annual rates per 1,000 of the population represented thereby, which, for the purposes of these Returns, is estimated at 662,256, are given in Table I. The deaths from all causes appertaining to the undermentioned areas for last week and for the past four weeks, respectively, were equal to the following annual rates per 1,000 of the population:—

Twelve Town Districts, ‡ 12·7 and 11·9; Dublin Registration Area, 12·5 and 12·0; Dublin City, 12·8 and 12·3; Cork, 10·9 and 10·5; Limerick, 16·2 and 10·8; and Waterford, 15·2 and 13·8.

The deaths* from certain epidemic diseases† registered in the 12 town districts ‡ during last week were equal to an annual rate of 1·3 per 1,000. Among the 16 deaths from all causes for Cork are 2 from diphtheria, and 2 from diarrhœa and enteritis of children under 2 years. One of the 12 deaths from all causes for Limerick is from diphtheria. The 8 deaths from all causes for Waterford include one from measles and one from diarrhœa and enteritis of a child under 2 years, and 2 of the 5 deaths from all causes for Wexford are from measles.

DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA.

In the Dublin Registration Area the total number of births registered during the week amounted to 225—103 boys and 122 girls—and the deaths to 113—56 males and 57 females.

The deaths registered, omitting the deaths (numbering 11) of persons admitted to public institutions from localities outside the Dublin Registration Area, represent an annual rate of mortality of 12·5 per 1,000 of the population. During the thirty-nine weeks ending with Saturday, 30th September, the death-rate averaged 17·9 and was 2·4 below the mean rate for the corresponding portions of the ten years, 1912-1921. The rate for all deaths registered during the thirty-nine weeks 19·5 and for the corresponding period of the preceding ten years 21·8.

Included in the 102 deaths appertaining to the Area are one from enteric fever, 6 from diarrhœal diseases, and one from influenza. In the three preceding weeks, deaths from diarrhœal diseases were 15, 5, and 4; and deaths from influenza 0, one, and 0. There were no deaths from enteric fever registered in the three preceding weeks.

There were 2 deaths from pneumonia, comprising one from broncho-pneumonia, and one from lobar pneumonia.

Tuberculous disease caused 14 deaths (including 7 from pulmonary tuberculosis, 4 from abdominal tuberculosis, and 3 from other forms of tuberculosis), as against 16, 10, and 16 from all forms of tuberculous disease in the three weeks preceding.

Six deaths were caused by cancer, 12 by organic diseases of the heart, and 7 by bronchitis.

One death attributed to homicide was registered.

Among deaths of infants under one year old, one was due to venereal disease, one to meningitis, 3 to convulsions, 4 to diarrhœa and enteritis, one to congenital malformation, 2 to premature birth and 5 to congenital debility.

Twenty-seven of the deaths registered during the week, appertaining to the Area, were those of children under 5 years of age, 18 being infants under one year, of whom 7 were under one month old, and 30 deaths were those of persons aged 65 and upwards, of whom 25 were 70 years of age or over.

Of the 102 deaths recorded, 47 occurred in hospitals and other public institutions.

ENGLAND AND SCOTLAND.

The mortality among civilians for the week ended 30th September in 105 large English towns (including London in which the rate was 9·4) was equal to an average annual death rate of 9·3 per 1,000 of the estimated civil population.

The average death-rate for 16 principal towns of Scotland was 11·2 per 1,000 persons living, the rate for Glasgow being 11·8 and for Edinburgh 11·8.

* Exclusive of the deaths of persons admitted into public institutions from without the respective districts.

† Enteric fever, typhus, small-pox, measles, scarlet fever, whooping-cough, diphtheria, dysentery, and diarrhœal diseases.

‡ See Note (*g*) Table I.

Table I.—BIRTHS and DEATHS registered during the week ended Saturday, 30th September, 1922, in the Dublin Registration Area, in each of the under-mentioned 11 Cities or Urban Districts, and in Belfast and Londonderry Cities (*exclusive of Births and Deaths in Public Institutions relating to Persons admitted from other Districts*), the Number of Deaths from some of the Principal Causes, and the Number of Uncertified Deaths with the Temperature and Rainfall for the week; also particulars regarding Births, Deaths and Meteorology in London, Edinburgh, and Glasgow.

Towns and Districts.	Population. Total (a)	Population. Persons to an Acre.	Annual Rate per 1,000 Persons Represented by Births	Annual Rate per 1,000 Persons Represented by Deaths. From all Causes.	Annual Rate per 1,000 Persons Represented by Deaths. From certain Epidemic Diseases. (b)	Registration—Week ended Saturday, 30th September, 1922. Numbers Registered. Births. Total Number	Deaths. Total Number.	Deaths. Under 1 year of Age.	Deaths. At 65 years and upwards.	Caused by. Enteric Fever.	Typhus.	Small-pox.	Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Whooping-cough.	Diphtheria.	Dysentery.	Influenza.	Tuberculosis. Pulmonary.	Tuberculosis. Other Forms.	Cancer.	Diseases of the Respiratory System. Pneumonia.	Diseases of the Respiratory System. Other.	Diarrhœa and Enteritis of children under 2 years of age.	Diarrhœa, 2 years of age and upwards.	Violence.	Inquest Cases.	No. of Deaths in Public Institutions.	Number of Uncertified Deaths.	Meteorology. (c) Week ended 30th September, 1922. Air Temperature. Absolute Highest.	Absolute Lowest.	Mean Maximum (A).	Mean Minimum (B).	Mean of (A) and (B).	Rainfall in Inches.
Cols.	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)	(14)	(15)	(16)	(17)	(18)	(19)	(20)	(21)	(22)	(23)	(24)	(25)	(26)	(27)	(28)	(29)	(30)	(31)	(32)	(33)	(34)	(35)
Total of 12 Town Districts (g) ...	662,256	18·9	28·0	12·7	1·3	356	161	28	43	1	.	.	3	.	.	3	.	1	15	7	9	5	17	7	2	2	1	67	9	.	.	.	.	.	.
Dublin Registration Area	427,000	30·5	26·4	12·5	0·9	216	102	18	30	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	7	7	6	2	10	4	2	1	1	47	4	(d)62·2	38·2	59·3	45·9	52·6	0·56
Urban Districts. City of Dublin	327,000	40·0	28·2	12·8	1·0	177	80	15	19	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	7	6	5	2	10	4	1	.	.	37	4	(e)60·6 (f)63·6	42·7 39·0	58·9 60·0	49·8 48·2	54·4 54·1	0·74 0·72
Urban Districts. Rathmines and Rathgar ...	41,500	24·2	11·3	8·8	.	9	7	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Urban Districts. Pembroke ...	31,100	19·8	25·1	5·0	.	15	3	.	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Urban Districts. Blackrock ...	9,900	9·1	.	21·1	.	.	4	1	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Urban Districts. Dún Laoghaire	17,500	12·0	44·7	23·8	3·0	15	8	2	5	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	1	.	.	3	.	62	44	59·3	50·4	54·9	0·70
Urban Districts. Cork	76,673	28·6	34·0	10·9	2·7	50	16	4	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	1	.	1	1	1	2	.	.	.	9	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Urban Districts. Limerick ...	38,518	16·1	27·0	16·2	1·4	20	12	2	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	2	.	1	1	3	.	.	.	.	5	3	.	.	.	.	.	.
Urban Districts. Waterford ...	27,464	19 1	28·5	15·2	3·8	15	8	4	1	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Urban Districts. Galway	13,255	2·5	The annual rates			15	4	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Urban Districts. Dundalk ...	13,128	9·5	represented by the			16	2	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Urban Districts. Drogheda ...	12,501	8·4	numbers of births			8	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Urban Districts. Wexford ...	11,531	22·8	and deaths regis-			4	5	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.
Urban Districts. Sligo	11,163	2·8	tered for these			3	5	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	63	35	59	46	52·5	0·74
Urban Districts. Kilkenny ...	10,514	11·4	urban districts will			8	5	.	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	1	.	2	1	64	32	59·4	47·1	53·2	0·93
Urban Districts. Tralee ...	10,300	17·4	be shown in the			.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Urban Districts. Clonmel	10,209	4·8	Quarterly Summary of the Weekly Returns.			1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Belfast City	425,000	24·3	22·7	10·9	0·7	185	89	14	24	.	.	.	1	1	.	1	.	2	7	5	8	7	5	3	.	7	7	25	.	63·0	47·0	60·5	51·1	55·8	0·74
Londonderry City ...	46,000	36·3	29 5	7·9	.	26	7	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	2	.	2	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
London	4,514,405	—	—	9·4	—	1,822	810	83	274	1	.	.	3	1	3	18	—	—	85	12	103	52	45	8	1	40	87	403	.	67	37	61·4	46·6	54·0	0·24
Edinburgh	420,500	—	—	11·8	0·1	189	95	14	38	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	—	—	—	—	—	12		.	—	1	—	—	—	58·0	42 0	55·4	46·4	50·9	0·69
Glasgow	1,037,800	—	—	11·8	0·7	433	235h	39	67	.	1	.	1	.	3	1	—	—	—	—	—	38		9	—	4	—	—	—	59·6	41·7	56·3	46·6	51·4	0·54

(a) According to the Census of 1911, but in the cases of the Dublin Registration Area and its component parts, the population given is that estimated to the middle of 1922. The estimate shown for London relates to the civil population in 1921. The population given for Glasgow and Edinburgh is that estimated to the middle of 1922. (b) See note (†) at foot of first page. (c) The observations shown for Cork were taken at Roche's Point, and those for Sligo at Markree. (d) Observations at Ordnance Survey Office, Phœnix Park. (e) Observations by Sir John Moore, taken at Fitzwilliam Square. (f) Observations taken at the Botanic Gardens, Glasnevin. (g) Exclusive of Tralee Nos. 1 and 2, the returns for which have not been received. (h) Including one death from cerebro-spinal meningitis.

TABLE II.—Showing for the WEEK ENDED 30TH SEPTEMBER, 1922, the number of DEATHS of Residents of the several REGISTRARS' DISTRICTS in the DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA, and in the CITY OF CORK, the annual Rate per 1,000 of the Population of the respective Districts represented thereby, and by the Deaths from the principal Epidemic Diseases†; with the mortality from some of the principal causes; also the Deaths at certain age-periods, and the number of Uncertified Deaths, *the Deaths in Public Institutions being assigned to the Districts from which the deceased were admitted.*

REGISTRARS' DISTRICTS, &c.	Estimated Population middle of 1922.*	Annual Rate of Mortality per 1,000 Living represented by Deaths. From all causes	From certain Epidemic Diseases†	Total Deaths.	Under 1 year.	1 and under 2.	2 and under 5.	5 and under 15.	15 and under 25.	25 and under 45	45 and under 65.	65 and upwards.	Enteric Fever.	Typhus.	Small-pox.	Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Whooping-cough.	Diphtheria.	Dysentery.	Influenza.	Tuberculosis. Pulmonary.	Tuberculosis. Other Forms.	Cancer.	Diseases of Respiratory System. Pneumonia.	Diseases of Respiratory System. Other.	Diarrhœa and Enteritis of Children under 2 years.	Diarrhœa, 2 years and upwards.	Violence.	Other Causes.	Inquest Cases.	In Institutions. In Hospitals, Prisons and Lunatic Asylums.	In Institutions. In Workhouse Hospitals.	Number of Uncertified Deaths.
					WEEK ENDED SATURDAY, 30TH SEPTEMBER, 1922. DEATHS. CAUSED BY																													
Cols.	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)	(14)	(15)	(16)	(17)	(18)	(19)	(20)	(21)	(22)	(23)	(24)	(25)	(26)	(27)	(28)	(29)	(30)	(31)	(32)	(33)	34)
DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA.																																		
Dublin City Districts. North City, No. 1, E.	31,600	14·9	.	9	4	1	.	.	.	1	.	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	2	.	.	.	6	.	3	.	.
" 1, W.	43,300	19·3	4·8	16	3	1	.	.	2	.	7	3	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	1	.	2	2	1	.	7	.	3	5	1
" 2	29,000	18·0	.	10	.	.	1	1	.	3	3	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	2	.	2	.	.	.	4	.	2	4	1
" 3	35,900	7·3	1·5	5	1	.	.	.	.	1	2	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	1	.	.	3	.	4	.	.
Clontarf and Howth, No. 1, part of	5,800	18·0	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	1	.
Coolock and Drumcondra, part of	14,300	14·6	.	4	.	1	.	1	1	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	3	.	1	.	.
Finglas and Glasnevin, part of	11,700	13·4	.	3	.	.	.	.	1	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.
South City, No. 1	45,300	6·9	.	6	1	.	2	.	.	1	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	2	.	.	.	2	.	2	.	.
" 2	19,100	13·6	2·7	5	2	1	.	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	1	1	.	.	2	.	1	.	.
" 3	45,600	8·0	.	7	1	.	.	1	.	1	1	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	5	.	2	2	.
" 4	34,500	16·6	.	11	3	2	.	.	.	1	4	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	8	.	3	3	2
New Kilmainham	10,900	9·6	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	.	.
Urban Districts. Rathmines and Rathgar	41,500	8·8	.	7	.	.	.	.	.	2	4	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	1	5	1	3	1	.
Pembroke	31,100	5·0	.	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	1	.	.
Blackrock	9,900	21·1	.	4	1	.	.	.	.	.	1	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	4	.	.	2	.
Dún Laoghaire	17,500	23·8	3·0	8	2	.	.	.	.	.	1	5	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	1	.	6	.	.	3	.
Total City of Dublin	327,000	12·8	1·0	80	15	6	3	3	5	9	20	19	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	7	6	5	2	10	4	1	.	44	.	21	16	4
Total Urban Districts	100,000	11·5	0 5	22	3	.	.	.	.	2	6	11	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	1	.	.	.	1	1	17	1	4	6	.
Total Dublin Registration Area	427,000	12·5	0·9	102	18	6	3	3	5	11	26	30	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	7	7	6	2	10	4	2	1	61	1	25	22	4
Deaths relating to residents of localities situated outside the Registration Area (not included in above)				11	3	.	.	2	1	.	3	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	.	.	2	7	2	10	1	.
CITY OF CORK.																																		
Cork City Districts. Cork Urban, No. 1	13,455	11 6	.	3	1	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	2	.	1	.	.
" 2	10,399	20·1	10.0	4	.	2	.	1	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	4	.	.
" 3	9,793	5·3	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.
" 4	9,139	5·7	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
" 5	6,250	8·3	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.
" 6	11,581	18·0	9·0	4	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	2	.	2	.	.
" 7	16,056	6·5	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Total City of Cork	76,673	10·9	2·7	16	4	2		1		1	5	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	1	.	1	1	1	2	.	.	8	.	9		.

* The populations given for the City of Cork and its component parts are those according to the Census of 1911. † See note (†) at foot of first page.

TABLE III.—Showing the NUMBER of CASES of IFNECTIOUS DISEASES notified in the Dublin Registration Area (viz. :—the City of Dublin, and the Urban Districts of Rathmines and Rathgar, Pembroke, Blackrock and Dún Laoghaire), and in the Cities of Cork, Limerick, and Waterford, during the week ended 30th September 1922, and each of the preceding three weeks, as furnished by the respective Sanitary Authorities. A dash (—) denotes that the disease in question is not notifiable in the District.

Cities and Urban Districts.	Week ending	Enteric Fever.	Typhus.	Pyrexia—Continued Fever.	Relapsing Fever.	Small-pox.	Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Whooping-cough.	Diphtheria (including Membranous Croup).	Erysipelas.	Puerperal Fever.	Diarrhœal Diseases.	Dysentery.	Malaria.	Trench Fever.	Acute Primary Pneumonia and Acute Influenzal Pneumonia.	Cerebro-spinal Fever.	Acute Poliomyelitis.	Encephalitis Lethargica.	Tuberculosis.	Total.
City of Dublin	Sept. 9	1	.	.	.	.	—	2	—	1	2	.	—	.	.	.	2	.	.	—	11	19
	Sept. 16	1	.	.	.	.	—	2	—	3	2	.	—	.	.	.	2	.	.	—	7	17
	Sept. 23	.	.	.	.	.	—	2	—	3	1	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	3	9
	Sept. 30	3	.	.	.	.	—	5	—	2	2	.	—	.	.	.	2	.	.	—	5	19
Rathmines & Rathgar Urban District	Sept. 9	.	.	.	.	.	—	3	—	1	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	4
	Sept. 16	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	.
	Sept. 23	.	.	.	.	.	—	9	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	9
	Sept. 30	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	.
Pembroke Urban District	Sept. 9		.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	1
	Sept. 16	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	2
	Sept. 23	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.
	Sept. 30	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.
Blackrock Urban District	Sept. 9	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.
	Sept. 16	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.
	Sept. 23	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.
	Sept. 30	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.
Dún Laoghaire Urban District	Sept. 9	.	.	.	.	.	—		—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.
	Sept. 16	.	.	.	.	.	—	1	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	1
	Sept. 23	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	1	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	1
	Sept. 30	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.
City of Cork	Sept. 9	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	10	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	—	11
	Sept. 16	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	—	4	.	.	3	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	—	8a
	Sept. 23	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	5	.	.	2	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	—	7
	Sept. 30	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	—	10	.	.	2	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	—	14
City of Limerick	Sept. 9	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	.
	Sept. 16	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	.
	Sept. 23	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	.
	Sept. 30	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	.
City of Waterford	Sept. 9	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	.	.
	Sept. 16	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	.	.
	Sept. 23	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	.	.
	Sept. 30	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	.	.

(*a*) Not including one case of Varicella.

TABLE IV.—Showing the NUMBER of CASES of the undermentioned DISEASES treated in Dublin Hospitals during the week ended Saturday, 30th September, 1922, with the number under treatment at the close of each of the last four weeks.

Diseases	No. of Cases in Hospital at close of week ended			Week ended 30th September,			
	Sept. 9	Sept. 16	Sept. 23	No. admitted.	Dis-charged.	Died.	No. under treatment at close of week.
Enteric Fever, ...	7	7	6	2	.	.	8
Typhus, ...	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Small-pox, ...	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Measles, ...	2	2	1	1	.	.	2
Scarlet Fever, ...	30	31	36	6	3	.	39*
Diphtheria, ...	19	17	20	6	1	.	25
Pneumonia, ...	9	9	10	4	2	.	12

* Exclusive of 7 patients in "Beneavin," the Convalescent Home of Cork Street Fever Hospital.

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TWELVE TOWN DISTRICTS.

The Births and Deaths * registered in the Dublin Registration Area and in eleven provincial Urban Districts of the Irish Free State, with the annual rates per 1,000 of the population represented thereby, which, for the purposes of these Returns, is estimated at 662,256, are given in Table I. The deaths from all causes appertaining to the undermentioned areas for last week and for the past four weeks, respectively, were equal to the following annual rates per 1,000 of the population :—

Twelve Town Districts, 13·5 and 11·9; Dublin Registration Area, 12·0 and 11·6; Dublin City, 13·1 and 12·1; Cork, 20·4 and 12·4; Limerick, 14·9 and 11·5; and Waterford, 17·1 and 13·3.

The deaths* from certain epidemic diseases† registered in the 12 town districts during last week were equal to an annual rate of 1·3 per 1,000. Among the 30 deaths from all causes for Cork are one from diphtheria, and one from diarrhœa and enteritis of a child under 2 years. One of the 9 deaths from all causes for Waterford is from measles, and 3 of the 7 deaths from all causs for Wexford are from the same disease.

DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA.

In the Dublin Registration Area the total number of births registered during the week amounted to 193—98 boys and 95 girls—and the deaths to 103—55 males and 48 females.

The deaths registered, omitting the deaths (numbering 5) of persons admitted to public institutions from localities outside the Dublin Registration Area, represent an annual rate of mortality of 12·0 per 1,000 of the population. During the forty weeks ending with Saturday, last the death-rate averaged 17·8 and was 2·5 below the mean rate for the corresponding portions of the ten years, 1912-1921. The rate for all deaths registered during the forty weeks was 19·3 and for the corresponding period of the preceding ten years 21·7.

Included in the 98 deaths appertaining to the Area are one from scarlet fever, one from whooping-cough, one from diphtheria, and 7 from diarrhœa and enteritis of children under 2 years. In the three preceding weeks deaths from whooping-cough, were 0, 2, and 0; deaths from diphtheria, 0, one, and 0; and deaths from diarrhœa and enteritis of children under 2 years 5, 4, and 4. There were no deaths from scarlet fever registered in the three preceding weeks.

There were 3 deaths from pneumonia, comprising one from broncho-pneumonia, one from lobar pneumonia, and one from pneumonia (not otherwise defined).

Tuberculous disease caused 13 deaths (including 10 from pulmonary tuberculosis, one from tuberculous meningitis, one from abdominal tuberculosis, and one from general tuberculosis), as against 10, 16, and 14 from all forms of tuberculous disease in the three weeks preceding.

Eight deaths were caused by cancer, 10 by organic diseases of the heart, and 6 by bronchitis.

Three cases of homicide were registered,

Among deaths of infants under one year old, one was due to scarlet fever, one to whooping-cough, one to general tuberculosis, 2 to convulsions, one to pneumonia, 6 to diarrhœa and enteritis, one to congenital malformation, 3 to premature birth, and 5 to congenital debility.

Twenty-six of the deaths registered during the week, appertaining to the Area, were those of children under 5 years of age, 24 being infants under one year, of whom 6 were under one month old, and 23 deaths were those of persons aged 65 and upwards, of whom 16 were 70 years of age or over.

Of the 98 deaths recorded, 44 occurred in hospitals and other public institutions.

ENGLAND AND SCOTLAND.

The mortality among civilians for the week ended 7th October, in 105 large English towns (including London in which the rate was 9·2) was equal to an average annual death rate of 9·6 per 1,000 of the estimated civil population.

The average death-rate for 16 principal towns of Scotland was 10·9 per 1,000 persons living, the rate for Glasgow being 12·2 and for Edinburgh 9·9.

* Exclusive of the deaths of persons admitted into public institutions from without the respective districts.
† Enteric fever, typhus, small-pox, measles, scarlet fever, whooping-cough, diphtheria, dysentery, and diarrhœa diseases.

TABLE I.—BIRTHS and DEATHS registered during the week ended Saturday, 7TH OCTOBER, 1922, in the DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA, in each of the under-mentioned 11 CITIES OR URBAN DISTRICTS, and in BELFAST and LONDONDERRY CITIES (*exclusive of Births and Deaths in Public Institutions relating to Persons admitted from other Districts*), the Number of Deaths from some of the PRINCIPAL CAUSES, and the Number of Uncertified Deaths with the Temperature and Rainfall for the week; also particulars regarding Births, Deaths and Meteorology in London, Edinburgh, and Glasgow.

TOWNS AND DISTRICTS.	POPULATION. Total (a)	Persons to an Acre.	Annual Rate per 1,000 Persons Represented by BIRTHS	DEATHS: From all Causes.	DEATHS: From certain Epidemic Diseases. (b)	BIRTHS	DEATHS: Total Number	Under 1 year of Age.	At 65 years and upwards.	Caused by: Enteric Fever.	Typhus.	Small-pox.	Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Whooping-cough.	Diphtheria.	Dysentery.	Influenza.	Tuberculosis: Pulmonary.	Tuberculosis: Other Forms.	Cancer.	Diseases of the Respiratory System: Pneumonia.	Diseases of the Respiratory System: Other.	Diarrhœa and Enteritis of children under 2 years of age.	Diarrhœa, 2 years of age and upwards.	Violence.	Inquest Cases.	No. of Deaths in Public Institutions.	Number of Uncertified Deaths.	METEOROLOGY. (c) Week ended 7th October, 1922. Air Temperature: Absolute Highest.	Absolute Lowest.	Mean Maximum (A).	Mean Minimum (B).	Mean of (A) and (B).	Rainfall in Inches.
COLS.	(1)	(2)	3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)	(14)	(15)	(16)	(17)	(18)	(19)	(20)	(21)	(22)	(23)	(24)	(25)	(26)	(27)	(28)	(29)	(30)	(31)	(32)	(33)	(34)	(35)
TOTAL OF 12 TOWN DISTRICTS ...	662,256	18·9	24·4	13·5	1·3	310	171	33	40	.	.	.	4	1	1	2	.	1	16	5	11	6	14	8	.	6	7	65	11	.	.	.	.	.	.
DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA	427,000	30·5	22·2	12·0	1·2	182	98	24	23	.	.	.	.	1	1	1	.	.	10	3	8	3	11	7	.	3	4	44	2	(d)67·0	34·8	60·7	43·6	52·1	0·19
Urban Districts. CITY OF DUBLIN	327,000	40·0	22·8	13·1	1·4	143	82	22	18	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	.	7	3	6	3	10	7	.	2	3	39	2	(e)65·2 (f)70·0	42·0 38·0	59·8 61·4	49·2 45·9	54·5 53·7	0·28 0·30
Urban Districts. RATHMINES and RATHGAR ...	41,500	24·2	12·6	12·6	1·3	10	10	2	1	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	1	.	.	1	1	4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Urban Districts. PEMBROKE ...	31,100	19·8	28·5	10·1	.	17	6	.	4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Urban Districts. BLACKROCK ...	9,900	9·1	15·8	.	.	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Urban Districts. DÚN LAOGHAIRE	17,500	12·0	26·8	.	.	9	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	67	44	61·2	49·4	55·3	0·39
Urban Districts. CORK	76,673	28·6	32·6	20·4	1·4	48	30	3	7	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	2	1	1	1	.	1	.	1	1	9	2	.	.	.	.	.	.
Urban Districts. LIMERICK ...	38,518	16·1	51·4	14·9	.	38	11	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	2	.	.	.	2	.	.	1	1	3	4	.	.	.	.	.	.
Urban Districts. WATERFORD ...	27,464	19·1	19·0	17·1	1·9	10	9	1	3	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	6	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Urban Districts. GALWAY	13,255	2·5	The annual rates represented by the numbers of births and deaths registered for these urban districts will be shown in the Quarterly Summary of the Weekly Returns.			6	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	64	42	61	46	53·5	0·81
Urban Districts. DUNDALK ...	13,128	9·5				5	4	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Urban Districts. DROGHEDA ...	12,501	8·4				2	4	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Urban Districts. WEXFORD ...	11,531	22·8				8	7	1	.	.	.	.	3	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.
Urban Districts. SLIGO	11,163	2·8				8	3	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	64	36	60	47	53·5	0·60
Urban Districts. KILKENNY ...	10,514	11·4				1	3	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	65	36	60·2	44·2	52·2	0·19
Urban Districts. TRALEE ...	10,300	17·4				2	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Urban Districts. CLONMEL	10,209	4·8				.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
BELFAST CITY	425,000	24·3	25·6	14·1	0·9	209	115	33	22	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	12	1	9	10	8	7	.	7	7	29	3	64·0	51·0	62·0	52·3	57·2	0·59
LONDONDERRY CITY ...	46,000	36·3	31·7	9·1	1·1	28	8	1	2	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
LONDON	4,514,405	—	—	9·2	—	1,702	800	92	265	2	.	.	.	2	5	15	—	—	69	10	118	56	33	20	2	49	86	422	.	66	45	62·6	49·4	56·0	0·50
EDINBURGH	420,500	—	—	9·9	0·0	167	80	3	40	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	—	—	11		.	—	3	—	—	—	62·0	39·0	56.3	46·4	51·4	0·81
GLASGOW	1,037,800	—	—	12·2	0·8	533	242g	35	59	.	.	.	.	3	2	3	—	2	—	—	—	37		8	—	18	—	—	—	61·0	35·5	56.7	46·1	51·4	1·18

(a) According to the Census of 1911, but in the cases of the Dublin Registration Area and its component parts, the population given is that estimated to the middle of 1922. The estimate shown for London relates to the civil population in 1921. The population given for Glasgow and Edinburgh is that estimated to the middle of 1922. (b) See note (†) at foot of first page. (c) The observations shown for Cork were taken at Roche's Point, and those for Sligo at Markree. (d) Observations at Ordnance Survey Office, Phœnix Park. (e) Observations by Sir John Moore, taken at Fitzwilliam Square. (f) Observations taken at the Botanic Gardens, Glasnevin. (g) Including one death from cerebro-spinal meningitis.

TABLE II.—Showing for the WEEK ENDED 7TH OCTOBER, 1922, the number of DEATHS of Residents of the several REGISTRARS' DISTRICTS in the DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA, and in the CITY OF CORK, the annual Rate per 1,000 of the Population of the respective Districts represented thereby, and by the Deaths from the principal Epidemic Diseases†; with the mortality from some of the principal causes; also the Deaths at certain age-periods, and the number of Uncertified Deaths, *the Deaths in Public Institutions being assigned to the Districts from which the deceased were admitted.*

WEEK ENDED SATURDAY, 7TH OCTOBER, 1922.

REGISTRARS' DISTRICTS, &c.	Estimated Population middle of 1922.*	Annual Rate of Mortality per 1,000 Living represented by Deaths. From all causes	From certain Epidemic Diseases†	Total Deaths.	DEATHS. Under 1 year.	1 and under 2.	2 and under 5.	5 and under 15.	15 and under 25.	25 and under 45.	45 and under 65.	65 and upwards.	Caused by: Enteric Fever.	Typhus.	Small-pox.	Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Whooping-cough.	Diphtheria.	Dysentery.	Influenza.	Tuberculosis. Pulmonary.	Other Forms.	Cancer.	Diseases of Respiratory System. Pneumonia.	Other.	Diarrhœa and Enteritis of Children under 2 years.	Diarrhœa, 2 years and upwards.	Violence.	Other Causes.	Inquest Cases.	In Institutions. In Hospitals, Prisons and Lunatic Asylums.	In Workhouse Hospitals.	Number of Uncertified Deaths.
Cols.	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)	(14)	(15)	(16)	(17)	(18)	(19)	(20)	(21)	(22)	(23)	(24)	(25)	(26)	(27)	(28)	(29)	(30)	(31)	(32)	(33)	34)
DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA.																																		
Dublin City Districts. North City, No. 1, E.	31,600	18·2	1·7	11	2	.	.	1	.	4	3	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	3	1	.	.	6	1	3	2	1
" 1, W.	43,300	16·9	3·6	14	5	.	.	.	.	2	5	2	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	2	1	.	.	.	2	.	.	8	.	6	4	.
" 2	29,000	18·0	.	10	4	.	.	.	.	1	3	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	7	.	2	3	.
" 3	35,900	7·3	.	5	2	.	.	.	.	.	1	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	5	.	1	.	.
Clontarf and Howth, No. 1, part of	5,800	9·0	.	1	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Coolock and Drumcondra, part of	14,300	3·6	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.
Finglas and Glasnevin, part of	11,700	13·4	.	3	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.
South City, No. 1	45,300	16·1	1·2	14	3	.	.	.	1	2	5	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	2	.	3	1	.	1	5	1	4	2	.
" 2	19,100	5·5	.	2	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	1	.	1	1	.	.
" 3	45,600	9·1	1·1	8	1	1	.	.	.	.	3	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	2	1	.	.	3	.	2	.	.
" 4	34,500	16·6	4·5	11	3	.	1	1	1	1	2	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	1	1	1	.	2	.	.	5	.	6	1	1
New Kilmainham	10,900	9·6	.	2	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	1	.	.
Urban Districts. Rathmines and Rathgar	41,500	12·6	1·3	10	2	.	.	.	.	2	5	1	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	1	.	.	1	5	1	4	.	.
Pembroke	31,100	10·1	.	6	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	3	.	1	.	.
Blackrock	9,900	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Dún Laoghaire	17,500	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Total City of Dublin	327,000	13·1	1·4	82	22	.	1	2	4	11	23	18	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	.	7	3	6	3	10	7	.	2	42	3	27	12	2
Total Urban Districts	100,000	8·3	0·5	16	2	.	.	.	1	3	5	5	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	3	.	2	.	1	.	.	1	8	1	5	.	.
Total Dublin Registration Area	427,000	12·0	1·2	98	24	1	1	2	5	14	28	23	.	.	.	.	1	1	1	.	.	10	3	8	3	11	7	.	3	50	4	32	12	2
Deaths relating to residents of localities situated outside the Registration Area (not included in above)				5	3	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	5	1	5	.	.
CITY OF CORK.																																		
Cork City Districts. Cork Urban, No. 1	13,455	11·6	.	3	1		.		.	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	2		.
" 2	10,399	45·1	5·0	9	.		1		1	1	3	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	1	1	1	.	.	.	.	5	.	4		.
" 3	9,793	10·6	.	2	.		.		.	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	1	.		.
" 4	9,139	5·7	.	1	.		.		.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.		.
" 5	6,250	41.7	.	5	1		.		.	.	4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	5	.	1		1
" 6	11,581	4·5	.	1	.		.		.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.		.
" 7	16,056	29·2	3.2	9	1		.		.	1	4	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	8	.	2		1
Total City of Cork	76,673	20·4	1·4	30	3		1		1	4	14	7	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	2	1	1	1	.	1	.	1	22	1	9		2

* The populations given for the City of Cork and its component parts are those according to the Census of 1911.

† See note (†) at foot of first page.

TABLE III.—Showing the NUMBER of CASES of IFNECTIOUS DISEASES notified in the Dublin Registration Area (viz. :—the City of Dublin, and the Urban Districts of Rathmines and Rathgar, Pembroke, Blackrock and Dún Laoghaire), and in the Cities of Cork, Limerick, and Waterford, during the week ended 7th October 1922, and each of the preceding three weeks, as furnished by the respective Sanitary Authorities. A dash (—) denotes that the disease in question is not notifiable in the District.

Cities and Urban Districts.	Week ending	Enteric Fever.	Typhus.	Pyrexia—Continued Fever.	Relapsing Fever.	Small-pox.	Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Whooping-cough.	Diphtheria (including Membranous Croup).	Erysipelas.	Puerperal Fever.	Diarrhœal Diseases.	Dysentery	Malaria.	Trench Fever	Acute Primary Pneumonia and Acute Influenzal Pneumonia	Cerebro-spinal Fever	Acute Poliomyelitis	Encephalitis Lethargica	Tuberculosis.	Total.
City of Dublin	Sept. 16	1	.	.	.	.	—	2	—	3	2	.	—	.	.	.	2	.	.	—	7	17
	Sept. 23	.	.	.	.	.	—	2	—	3	1	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	3	9
	Sept. 30	3	.	.	.	.	—	5	—	2	2	.	—	.	.	.	2	.	.	—	5	19
	Oct. 7	2	.	.	.	.	—	11	—	3	1	.	—	.	.	.	3	.	.	—	6	26
Rathmines & Rathgar Urban District	Sept. 16	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	.
	Sept. 23	.	.	.	.	.	—	9	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	9
	Sept. 30	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	.
	Oct. 7	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	.
Pembroke Urban District	Sept. 16	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	2
	Sept. 23	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.
	Sept. 30	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.
	Oct. 7	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	1
Blackrock Urban District	Sept. 16	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.
	Sept. 23	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.
	Sept. 30	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.
	Oct. 7	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.
Dún Laoghaire Urban District	Sept. 16	.	.	.	.	.	—	1	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	1
	Sept. 23	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	1	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	1
	Sept. 30	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.
	Oct 7	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.
City of Cork	Sept. 16	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	—	4	.	.	3	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	—	8a
	Sept. 23	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	5	.	.	2	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	—	7
	Sept. 30	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	—	10	.	.	2	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	—	14
	Oct. 7	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	—	20	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	—	23
City of Limerick	Sept. 16	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	.
	Sept. 23	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	.
	Sept. 30	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	.
	Oct 7	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	.
City of Waterford	Sept. 16	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	.	.
	Sept. 23	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	.	.
	Sept. 30	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	.	.
	Oct. 7	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	.	.

(*a*) Not including one case of varicella.

TABLE IV.—Showing the NUMBER of CASES of the undermentioned DISEASES treated in Dublin Hospitals during the week ended Saturday, 7th October, 1922, with the number under treatment at the close of each of the last four weeks.

Diseases	No. of Cases in Hospital at close of week ended			Week ended 7th October.			
	Sept. 16	Sept. 23	Sept. 30	No. admitted.	Dis-charged.	Died.	No. under treatment at close of week.
Enteric Fever, ...	7	6	8	2	1	.	9
Typhus, ...	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Small-pox, ...	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Measles, ...	2	1	2	.	.	.	2
Scarlet Fever,..	31	36	39	18	5	.	52*
Diphtheria, ...	17	20	25	8	4	1	28
Pneumonia, ...	9	10	12	5	2	.	15

* Exclusive of 7 patients in "Beneavin," the Convalescent Home of Cork Street Fever Hospital.

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TWELVE TOWN DISTRICTS.

The Births and Deaths * registered in the Dublin Registration Area and in eleven provincial Urban Districts of the Irish Free State, with the annual rates per 1,000 of the population represented thereby, which, for the purposes of these Returns, is estimated at 662,256, are given in Table I. The deaths from all causes appertaining to the undermentioned areas for last week and for the past four weeks, respectively, were equal to the following annual rates per 1,000 of the population:—

Twelve Town Districts, ‡ 14·7 and 13·2; Dublin Registration Area, 13·1 and 12·1; Dublin City, 13·4 and 12·7; Cork, 17·7 and 14·6; Limerick, 17·6 and 16·2; and Waterford, 19·0 and 16·6.

The deaths* from certain epidemic diseases† registered in the 12 town districts ‡ during last week were equal to an annual rate of 1·1 per 1,000. Among the 26 deaths from all causes for Cork is one from diphtheria. The 13 deaths from all causes for Limerick include one from enteric fever, and 2 from diphtheria. Three of the 10 deaths from all causes for Waterford are from measles, and one of the 7 deaths from all causes for Wexford is from the same disease.

DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA.

In the Dublin Registration Area the total number of births registered during the week amounted to 187—91 boys and 96 girls—and the deaths to 121—55 males and 66 females.

The deaths registered, omitting the deaths (numbering 14) of persons admitted to public institutions from localities outside the Dublin Registration Area, represent an annual rate of mortality of 13·1 per 1,000 of the population. During the forty-one weeks ending with Saturday last, the death-rate averaged 17·7 and was 2·5 below the mean rate for the corresponding portions of the ten years, 1912-1921. The rate for all deaths registered during the forty-one weeks was 19·2 and for the corresponding period of the preceding ten years 21·7.

Included in the 107 deaths appertaining to the Area are one from enteric fever, 2 from scarlet fever, one from whooping-cough, and 2 from diarrhœa and enteritis of children under 2 years. In the three preceding weeks deaths from enteric fever were 0, one, and 0; deaths from scarlet fever, 0, 0, and one; deaths from whooping-cough, 2, 0, and one; and deaths from diarrhœa and enteritis of children under 2 years 4, 4, and 7.

There were 3 deaths from pneumonia, comprising 2 from broncho pneumonia, and one from pneumonia (not otherwise defined).

Tuberculous disease caused 14 deaths (including 7 from pulmonary tuberculosis, 2 from tuberculous meningitis, one from abdominal tuberculosis, and 4 from other forms of tuberculosis), as against 16, 14, and 13 from all forms of tuberculous disease in the three weeks preceding.

Eight deaths were caused by cancer, 11 by organic diseases of the heart, and 7 by bronchitis.

One death was caused by gunshot wounds, and there were 4 cases of homicide, and one of suicide.

Among deaths of infants under one year old, one was due to whooping-cough, one to abdominal tuberculosis, one to convulsions, one to broncho-pneumonia, 2 to diarrhœa and enteritis, 5 to premature birth, and 4 to congenital debility.

Twenty-two of the deaths registered during the week, appertaining to the Area, were those of children under 5 years of age, 18 being infants under one year, of whom 8 were under one month old, and 27 deaths were those of persons aged 65 and upwards, of whom 22 were 70 years of age or over.

Of the 107 deaths recorded, 47 occurred in hospitals and other public institutions.

ENGLAND AND SCOTLAND.

The mortality among civilians for the week ended 14th October, in 105 large English towns (including London in which the rate was 9·7) was equal to an average annual death rate of 9·9 per 1,000 of the estimated civil population.

The average death-rate for 16 principal towns of Scotland was 11·6 per 1,000 persons living, the rate for Glasgow being 12·6 and for Edinburgh 10·5.

* Exclusive of the deaths of persons admitted into public institutions from without the respective districts.

† Enteric fever, typhus, small-pox, measles, scarlet fever, whooping-cough, diphtheria, dysentery, and diarrhœal diseases.

‡ See Note (*g*) Table I.

Table I.—BIRTHS and DEATHS registered during the week ended Saturday, 14th October, 1922, in the Dublin Registration Area, in each of the under-mentioned 11 Cities or Urban Districts, and in Belfast and Londonderry Cities (*exclusive of Births and Deaths in Public Institutions relating to Persons admitted from other Districts*), the Number of Deaths from some of the Principal Causes, and the Number of Uncertified Deaths with the Temperature and Rainfall for the week; also particulars regarding Births, Deaths and Meteorology in London, Edinburgh, and Glasgow.

Towns and Districts.	Population. Total (a)	Population. Persons to an Acre.	Annual Rate per 1,000 Persons Represented by Births.	Annual Rate per 1,000 Persons Represented by Deaths. From all Causes.	Annual Rate per 1,000 Persons Represented by Deaths. From certain Epidemic Diseases. (b)	Registration—Week ended Saturday, 14th October, 1922. Numbers Registered. Births. Total Number	Deaths. Total Number.	Deaths. Under 1 year of Age.	Deaths. At 65 years and upwards.	Deaths. Caused by. Enteric Fever.	Typhus.	Small-pox.	Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Whooping-cough.	Diphtheria.	Dysentery.	Influenza.	Tuberculosis. Pulmonary.	Tuberculosis. Other Forms.	Cancer.	Diseases of the Respiratory System. Pneumonia.	Diseases of the Respiratory System. Other.	Diarrhœa and Enteritis of children under 2 years of age.	Diarrhœa, 2 years of age and upwards.	Violence.	Inquest Cases.	No. of Deaths in Public Institutions.	Number of Uncertified Deaths.	Meteorology. (c) Week ended 14th October, 1922. Air Temperature. Absolute Highest.	Absolute Lowest.	Mean Maximum (A).	Mean Minimum (B).	Mean of (A) and (B).	Rainfall in Inches.
Cols.	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)	(14)	(15)	(16)	(17)	(18)	(19)	(20)	(21)	(22)	(23)	(24)	(25)	(26)	(27)	(28)	(29)	(30)	(31)	(32)	(33)	(34)	(35)
Total of 12 Town Districts (g) ...	662,256	18·9	21·0	14·7	1·1	267	187	28	47	2	.	.	4	2	1	3	.	.	12	12	13	7	13	2	.	13	14	78	8	.	.	.	.	.	.
Dublin Registration Area	427,000	30·5	20·8	13·1	0·7	170	107	18	27	1	.	.	.	2	1	.	.	.	7	7	8	3	11	2	.	6	7	47	2	(d)65·0	29·5	58·1	40·3	49·2	0·05
Urban Districts. City of Dublin	327,000	40·0	23·0	13·4	0·6	144	84	14	19	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	.	.	7	4	6	3	11	2	.	6	7	45	1	(e)62·2	36·8	56·0	44·7	50·4	0·13
																														(f)62·6	33·0	56·8	43·1	50·0	0·16
Urban Districts. Rathmines and Rathgar ...	41,500	24·2	10·1	10·1	.	8	8	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Urban Districts. Pembroke ...	31,100	19·8	15·1	8·4	.	9	5	1	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Urban Districts. Blackrock ...	9,900	9·1	5·3	26·3	10·5	1	5	2	1	1	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.
Urban Districts. Dún Laoghaire	17,500	12·0	23·8	14·9	.	8	5	1	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Urban Districts. Cork	76,673	28·6	22·4	17·7	0·7	33	26	2	7	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	4	3	1	.	.	.	1	1	13	.	59	41	55·5	46·8	51·1	0·11
Urban Districts. Limerick ...	38,518	16·1	25·7	17·6	4·1	19	13	3	2	1	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	1	.	.	1	1	.	.	1	1	6	2	.	.	.	.	.	.
Urban Districts. Waterford ...	27,464	19·1	19·0	19·0	5·7	10	10	3	1	.	.	.	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	2	1	.	.	.	.	.	.
Urban Districts. Galway	13,255	2·5	The annual rates represented by the numbers of births and deaths registered for these urban districts will be shown in the Quarterly Summary of the Weekly Returns.			7	5	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	2	2	1	.	.	.	.	.	.
Urban Districts. Dundalk ...	13,128	9·5				9	3	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Urban Districts. Drogheda ...	12,501	8·4				4	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Urban Districts. Wexford ...	11,531	22·8				6	7	.	3	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	2	.	.	.	.	.	.
Urban Districts. Sligo	11,163	2·8				4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	67	29	58	39	48·5	1·03
Urban Districts. Kilkenny ...	10,514	11·4				1	9	.	5	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	1	.	1	.	.	2	.	6	.	65	35	58·4	41·5	49·9	0·34
Urban Districts. Tralee ...	10,300	17·4				.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Urban Districts. Clonmel ...	10,209	4·8				4	5	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Belfast City	425,000	24·3	23·1	12·5	0·9	188	102	22	36	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	14	1	9	9	12	6	1	1	1	30	2	61·0	35·0	56·7	43·3	50·0	0·62
Londonderry City ...	46,000	36·3	23·8	12·5	2·3	21	11	4	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	2	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
London	4,514,405	—	—	9·7	—	1,746	842	90	277	1	.	1	2	2	3	25	—	—	88	22	138	50	38	16	2	29	73	437	.	64	35	58·6	41·4	50·0	0·02
Edinburgh	420,500	—	—	10·5	0·7	169	85	9	23	.	.	.	.	3	.	3	—	2	—	—	—	8		.	—	2	—	—	—	68·0	40·0	56·1	44·4	50·3	0·01
Glasgow	1,037,800	—	—	12·6	0·7	499	250h	48	63	.	.	.	.	1	2	3	—	1	—	—	—	33		8	—	12	—	—	—	63·3	38·2	54·7	44·6	49·6	0·17

(a) According to the Census of 1911, but in the cases of the Dublin Registration Area and its component parts, the population given is that estimated to the middle of 1922. The estimate shown for London relates to the civil population in 1921. The population given for Glasgow and Edinburgh is that estimated to the middle of 1922. (b) See note (†) at foot of first page. (c) The observations shown for Cork were taken at Roche's Point, and those for Sligo at Markree. (d) Observations at Ordnance Survey Offices, Phœnix Park. (e) Observations by Sir John Moore, taken at Fitzwilliam Square; (f) Observations taken at the Botanic Gardens, Glasnevin. (g) Exclusive of Tralee Nos. 1 and 2, the returns for which have not been received. (h) Including one death from cerebro-spinal meningitis.

TABLE II.—Showing for the WEEK ENDED 14TH OCTOBER, 1922, the number of DEATHS of Residents of the several REGISTRARS' DISTRICTS in the DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA, and in the CITY OF CORK, the annual Rate per 1,000 of the Population of the respective Districts represented thereby, and by the Deaths from the principal Epidemic Diseases†; with the mortality from some of the principal causes; also the Deaths at certain age-periods, and the number of Uncertified Deaths, *the Deaths in Public Institutions being assigned to the Districts from which the deceased were admitted.*

REGISTRARS' DISTRICTS, &c.	Estimated Population middle of 1922.*	Annual Rate of Mortality per 1,000 Living represented by Deaths. From all causes	From certain Epidemic Diseases†	Total Deaths.	Under 1 year.	1 and under 2.	2 and under 5.	5 and under 15.	15 and under 25.	25 and under 45.	45 and under 65.	65 and upwards.	Enteric Fever.	Typhus.	Small-pox.	Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Whooping-cough.	Diphtheria.	Dysentery.	Influenza.	Tuberculosis. Pulmonary.	Tuberculosis. Other Forms.	Cancer.	Diseases of Respiratory System. Pneumonia.	Diseases of Respiratory System. Other.	Diarrhœa and Enteritis of Children under 2 years.	Diarrhœa, 2 years and upwards.	Violence.	Other Causes.	Inquest Cases.	In Institutions. In Hospitals, Prisons and Lunatic Asylums.	In Institutions. In Workhouse Hospitals.	Number of Uncertified Deaths.
					WEEK ENDED SATURDAY, 14TH OCTOBER, 1922. DEATHS, CAUSED BY																													
Cols.	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)	(14)	(15)	(16)	(17)	(18)	(19)	(20)	(21)	(22)	(23)	(24)	(25)	(26)	(27)	(28)	(29)	(30)	(31)	(32)	(33)	34)
DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA.																																		
Dublin City Districts. North City, No. 1, E.	31,600	16·5	1·7	10	4	.	.	.	2	.	3	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	1	.	.	7	.	4	3	.
" 1, W.	43,300	24·1	.	20	2	.	.	.	4	4	6	4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	3	2	2	1	3	.	.	3	6	4	5	6	.
" 2	29,000	16·2	1·8	9	3	.	.	.	.	.	5	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	2	1	.	.	5	.	1	3	.
" 3	35,900	5·8	.	4	1	.	.	1	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	1	.	.	1	1	1	2	.	.
CLONTARF AND HOWTH, No. 1, part of	5,800	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
COOLOCK AND DRUMCONDRA, part of	14,300	7·3	.	2	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	1	.	.
FINGLAS AND GLASNEVIN, part of	11,700	8·9	.	2	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
SOUTH CITY, No. 1	45,300	10·4	1·2	9	.	.	.	1	.	1	2	5	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	2	.	.	.	4	.	2	1	.
" 2	19,100	16·4	.	6	.	.	.	.	3	1	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	2	3	2	4	1	.
" 3	45,600	14·9	1·1	13	4	2	1	.	.	.	3	3	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	11	.	6	2	.
" 4	34,500	13·6	.	9	.	.	.	.	1	4	2	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	4	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	4	.	2	2	1
NEW KILMAINHAM	10,900	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Urban Districts. RATHMINES AND RATHGAR	41,500	10·1	.	8	.	.	1	.	2	.	3	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	7	.	1	.	.
PEMBROKE	31,100	8·4	.	5	1	.	.	1	.	.	1	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	2	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	1	.	.
BLACKROCK	9,900	26·3	10·5	5	2	.	.	1	.	1	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	.	1
DÚN LAOGHAIRE	17,500	14·9	.	5	1	.	.	.	.	.	1	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	5	.	.	.	.
Total City of Dublin	327,000	13·4	0·6	84	14	2	1	3	11	12	22	19	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	.	.	7	4	6	3	11	2	.	6	43	7	27	18	1
Total Urban Districts	100,000	12·0	1·0	23	4	.	1	2	2	1	5	8	1	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	3	2	.	.	.	.	.	16	.	2	.	1
Total Dublin Registration Area	427,000	13·1	0·7	107	18	2	2	5	13	13	27	27	1	.	.	.	2	1	.	.		7	7	8	3	11	2	.	6	59	7	29	18	2
Deaths relating to residents of localities situated outside the Registration Area (not included in above)				14	3	.	.	1	.	6	1	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	10	.	13	1	.
CITY OF CORK.																																		
Cork City Districts. CORK URBAN, No. 1	13,455	15·5	.	4	.		.	1		1	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	3		.
" 2	10,399	10·0	.	2	1		.	.		.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.		.
" 3	9,793	5·3	.	1	.		.	.		.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.		.
" 4	9,139	11.4	.	2	.		1	.		1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	1	.	1		.
" 5	6,250	50·1	.	6	1		.	.		.	4	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	1	4	1	3		.
" 6	11,581	27.0	.	6	.		.	3		1	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	3	.	2		.
" 7	16,056	16·2	3.2	5	.		1	.		1	1	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	4	.	4		.
Total City of Cork	76,673	17·7	0·7	26	2		2	4		4	7	7	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	4	3	1	.	.	.	1	16	1	13		.

* The populations given for the City of Cork and its component parts are those according to the Census of 1911.

† See note (†) at foot of first page.

TABLE III.—Showing the NUMBER of CASES of IFNECTIOUS DISEASES notified in the Dublin Registration Area (viz. :—the City of Dublin, and the Urban Districts of Rathmines and Rathgar, Pembroke, Blackrock and Dún Laoghaire), and in the Cities of Cork, Limerick, and Waterford, during the week ended 14th October, 1922, and each of the preceding three weeks, as furnished by the respective Sanitary Authorities. A dash (—) denotes that the disease in question is not notifiable in the District.

Cities and Urban Districts.	Week ending	Enteric Fever.	Typhus.	Pyrexia—Continued Fever.	Relapsing Fever.	Small-pox.	Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Whooping-cough.	Diphtheria (including Membranous Croup).	Erysipelas.	Puerperal Fever.	Diarrhœal Diseases.	Dysentery	Malaria.	Trench Fever.	Acute Primary Pneumonia and Acute Influenzal Pneumonia	Cerebro-spinal Fever	Acute Poliomyelitis	Encephalitis Lethargica	Tuberculosis.	Total.
City of Dublin	Sept. 23	.	.	.	.	.	—	2	—	3	1	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	3	9
	Sept. 30	3	.	.	.	.	—	5	—	2	2	.	—	.	.	.	2	.	.	—	5	19
	Oct. 7	2	.	.	.	.	—	11	—	3	1	.	—	.	.	.	3	.	.	—	6	26
	Oct. 14	.	.	.	.	.	—	10	—	8	1	1	—	.	1	.	3	.	.	—	16	40
Rathmines & Rathgar Urban District	Sept. 23	.	.	.	.	.	—	9	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	9
	Sept. 30	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	.
	Oct. 7	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	.
	Oct. 14	.	.	.	.	.	—	2	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	1	.	.	—	—	3
Pembroke Urban District	Sept. 23	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.
	Sept. 30	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.
	Oct. 7	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	1
	Oct 14	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	2
Blackrock Urban District	Sept. 23	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.
	Sept. 30	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.
	Oct. 7	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.
	Oct. 14	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	1
Dún Laoghaire Urban District	Sept. 23	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	1	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	1
	Sept. 30	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.
	Oct. 7	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.
	Oct. 14	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.
City of Cork	Sept. 23	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	5	.	.	2	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	—	7
	Sept. 30	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	—	10	.	.	2	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	—	14
	Oct. 7	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	—	20	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	—	23
	Oct. 14	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	6	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	—	7
City of Limerick	Sept. 23	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	.
	Sept. 30	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	.
	Oct. 7	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	.
	Oct. 14	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	.
City of Waterford	Sept. 23	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	.	.
	Sept. 30	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	.	.
	Oct. 7	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	.	.
	Oct. 14	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	.	.

TABLE IV.—Showing the NUMBER of CASES of the undermentioned DISEASES treated in Dublin Hospitals during the week ended Saturday, 14th October, 1922, with the number under treatment at the close of each of the last four weeks.

Diseases	No. of Cases in Hospital at close of week ended			Week ended 14th October			
	Sept. 23	Sept. 30	Oct. 7	No. admitted.	Dis-charged.	Died.	No. under treatment at close of week.
Enteric Fever, ...	6	8	9	.	.	.	9
Typhus, ...	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Small-pox, ...	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Measles, ...	1	2	2	.	.	.	2
Scarlet Fever, ...	36	39	52	15	9	2	56*
Diphtheria, ...	20	25	28	8	6	.	30
Pneumonia, ...	10	12	15	5	4	1	15

* Exclusive of 11 patients in "Beneavin," the Convalescent Home of Cork Street Fever Hospital.

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AND IN

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TWELVE TOWN DISTRICTS.

The Births and Deaths * registered in the Dublin Registration Area and in eleven provincial Urban Districts of the Irish Free State, with the annual rates per 1,000 of the population represented thereby, which, for the purposes of these Returns, is estimated at 662,256, are given in Table I. The deaths from all causes appertaining to the undermentioned areas for last week and for the past four weeks, respectively, were equal to the following annual rates per 1,000 of the population:—

Twelve Town Districts, ‡ 11·6 and 13·3; Dublin Registration Area, 11·2 and 12·2; Dublin City, 12·4 and 12·9; Cork, 12·9 and 15·5; Limerick, 10·8 and 15·6; and Waterford, 7·6 and 14·7.

The deaths* from certain epidemic diseases† registered in the 12 town districts ‡ during last week were equal to an annual rate of 0·3 per 1,000. Among the 8 deaths from all causes for Limerick is one from influenza; and one of the 6 deaths from all causes for Wexford is from measles.

DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA.

In the Dublin Registration Area the total number of births registered during the week amounted to 239—122 boys and 117 girls—and the deaths to 108—44 males and 64 females.

The deaths registered, omitting the deaths (numbering 16) of persons admitted to public institutions from localities outside the Dublin Registration Area, represent an annual rate of mortality of 11·2 per 1,000 of the population. During the forty-two weeks ending with Saturday last, the death-rate averaged 17·5 and was 2·7 below the mean rate for the corresponding portions of the ten years, 1912-1921. The rate for all deaths registered during the forty-two weeks was 19·0 and for the corresponding period of the preceding ten years 21·6.

Included in the 92 deaths appertaining to the Area are one from diphtheria, and 2 from diarrhœa and enteritis of children under 2 years. In the three preceding weeks deaths from diphtheria were 0, one, and 0; and deaths from diarrhœa and enteritis of children under 2 years 4, 7, and 2.

There were 3 deaths from pneumonia, comprising one from broncho pneumonia, one from lobar pneumonia, and one from pneumonia (not otherwise defined).

Tuberculous disease caused 13 deaths (including 10 from pulmonary tuberculosis, one from tuberculous meningitis, one from abdominal tuberculosis, and one from general tuberculosis), as against 14, 13, and 14 from all forms of tuberculous disease in the three weeks preceding.

Nine deaths were caused by cancer, 9 by organic diseases of the heart, and 6 by bronchitis.

Two accidental deaths were registered, of which one was caused by burns, and one by drowning.

Among deaths of infants under one year old, one was due to general tuberculosis, one to venereal disease, 4 to convulsions, 2 to diarrhœa and enteritis, one to congenital malformation, 4 to premature birth, and one to congenital debility.

Seventeen of the deaths registered during the week, appertaining to the Area, were those of children under 5 years of age, 14 being infants under one year, of whom 8 were under one month old, and 25 deaths were those of persons aged 65 and upwards, of whom 19 were 70 years of age or over.

Of the 92 deaths recorded, 32 occurred in hospitals and other public institutions.

ENGLAND AND SCOTLAND.

The mortality among civilians for the week ended 21st October, in 105 large English towns (including London in which the rate was 10·0) was equal to an average annual death rate of 10·3 per 1,000 of the estimated civil population.

The average death-rate for 16 principal towns of Scotland was 12·2 per 1,000 persons living, the rate for Glasgow being 12·4 and for Edinburgh 11·7.

* Exclusive of the deaths of persons admitted into public institutions from without the respective districts.

† Enteric fever, typhus, small-pox, measles, scarlet fever, whooping-cough, diphtheria, dysentery, and diarrhœal diseases.

‡ See Note (*g*) Table I.

TABLE I.—BIRTHS and DEATHS registered during the week ended Saturday, 21st OCTOBER, 1922, in the DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA, in each of the under-mentioned 11 CITIES OR URBAN DISTRICTS, and in BELFAST and LONDONDERRY CITIES (*exclusive of Births and Deaths in Public Institutions relating to Persons admitted from other Districts*), the Number of Deaths from some of the PRINCIPAL CAUSES, and the Number of Uncertified Deaths with the Temperature and Rainfall for the week; also particulars regarding Births, Deaths and Meteorology in London, Edinburgh, and Glasgow.

TOWNS AND DISTRICTS.	POPULATION. Total (a)	Persons to an Acre.	Annual Rate per 1,000 Persons Represented by BIRTHS.	DEATHS. From all Causes.	DEATHS. From certain Epidemic Diseases. (b)	BIRTHS. Total Number	DEATHS. Total Number.	Under 1 year of Age.	At 65 years and upwards.	Enteric Fever.	Typhus.	Small-pox.	Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Whooping-cough.	Diphtheria.	Dysentery.	Influenza.	Tuberculosis. Pulmonary.	Tuberculosis. Other Forms.	Cancer.	Diseases of the Respiratory System. Pneumonia.	Diseases of the Respiratory System. Other.	Diarrhœa and Enteritis of children under 2 years of age.	Diarrhœa, 2 years of age and upwards.	Violence.	Inquest Cases.	No. of Deaths in Public Institutions.	Number of Uncertified Deaths.	METEOROLOGY. (c) Week ended 21st October, 1922. Air Temperature. Absolute Highest.	Absolute Lowest.	Mean Maximum (A).	Mean Minimum (B).	Mean of (A) and (B).	Rainfall in Inches.
			REGISTRATION—WEEK ENDED SATURDAY, 21st OCTOBER, 1922. NUMBERS REGISTERED.																																	
COLS.	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)	(14)	(15)	(16)	(17)	(18)	(19)	(20)	(21)	(22)	(23)	(24)	(25)	(26)	(27)	(28)	(29)	(30)	(31)	(32)	(33)	(34)	(35)
TOTAL OF 12 TOWN DISTRICTS (g) ...	662,256	18·9	24·2	11·6	0·3	307	147	18	45	.	.	.	1	.	.	1	.	1	13	5	14	7	12	2	.	4	5	46	5	.	.	.	.	.	.
DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA	427,000	30·5	27·7	11·2	0·4	227	92	14	25	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	10	3	9	3	7	2	.	2	3	32	2	(d)60·4	39.3	54·4	45·4	49·9	0·00
Urban Districts. CITY OF DUBLIN	327,000	40·0	31·1	12·4	0·5	195	78	14	18	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	8	2	8	3	7	2	.	2	3	28	2	(e)59.8	46·1	55·1	48·7	51·9	0·08
																														(f)62·4	46·0	55·8	48·0	51·9	0·02
RATHMINES and RATHGAR ...	41,500	24·2	12·6	6·3	.	10	5	.	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
PEMBROKE ...	31,100	19·8	23·5	8·4	.	14	5	.	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
BLACKROCK ...	9,900	9·1	10·5	10·5	.	2	2	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
DÚN LAOGHAIRE	17,500	12·0	17·9	6·0	.	6	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	65	48	59·2	49·0	54·1	0·00
Urban Districts. CORK	76,673	28·6	15·6	12·9	.	23	19	2	5	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	1	1	1	1	.	.	1	1	7	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
LIMERICK ...	38,518	16·1	24·4	10·8	.	18	8	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	1	1	1	.	.	.	1	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.
WATERFORD ...	27,464	19 1	9·5	7·6	.	5	4	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
GALWAY	13,255	2·5	The annual rates represented by the numbers of births and deaths registered for these urban districts will be shown in the Quarterly Summary of the Weekly Returns.			6	4	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
DUNDALK ...	13,128	9·5				5	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.
DROGHEDA ...	12,501	8·4				4	3	.	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
WEXFORD ...	11,531	22·8				5	6	.	1	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	2	1	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
SLIGO	11,163	2·8				5	4	.	4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	1	63	40	57	42	49·5	0·00
KILKENNY ...	10,514	11·4				7	3	.	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	1	.	62	39	55 0	44 8	49·9	0·04
TRALEE ...	10,300	17·4				.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
CLONMEL	10,209	4·8				2	3	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
BELFAST CITY	425,000	24·3	28·5	11·2	1·1	232	91	17	22	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	13	4	5	11	8	6	3	3	3	22	.	64·0	48·0	62 1	52·2	57·2	0·01
LONDONDERRY CITY ...	46,000	36·3	20·4	12·5	1·1	18	11	2	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	1	.	1	2	1	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
LONDON	4,514,405	—	—	10·0	—	1,645	863	88	309	1	—	—	—	5	4	24	—	—	75	14	107	63	54	15	2	35	77	459	.	59	37	54·3	42·3	48·3	0·29
EDINBURGH	420,500	—	—	11·7	0·7	177	94	9	36	—	—	—	.	1	2	.	—	—	—	—	—	17		3	—	5	—	—	—	58·0	41·0	51·0	42·4	46·7	0·27
GLASGOW	1,037,800	—	—	12·4	1·2	522	247	49	63	—	—	—	1	3	6	3	—	1	—	—	—	43		11	—	9	—	—	—	59·7	40·8	52·7	43·4	48·0	0·00

(a) According to the Census of 1911, but in the cases of the Dublin Registration Area and its component parts, the population given is that estimated to the middle of 1922. The estimate shown for London relates to the civil population in 1921. The population given for Glasgow and Edinburgh is that estimated to the middle of 1922. (b) See note (†) at foot of first page. (c) The observations shown for Cork were taken at Roche's Point, and those for Sligo at Markree. (d) Observations at Ordnance Survey Offices, Phœnix Park. (e) Observations by Sir John Moore, taken at Fitzwilliam Square. (f) Observations taken at the Botanic Gardens, Glasnevin. (g) Exclusive of Tralee Nos. 1 and 2, the returns for which have not been received.

TABLE II.—Showing for the WEEK ENDED 21ST OCTOBER, 1922, the number of DEATHS of Residents of the several REGISTRARS' DISTRICTS in the DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA, and in the CITY OF CORK, the annual Rate per 1,000 of the Population of the respective Districts represented thereby, and by the Deaths from the principal Epidemic Diseases†; with the mortality from some of the principal causes; also the Deaths at certain age-periods, and the number of Uncertified Deaths, *the Deaths in Public Institutions being assigned to the Districts from which the deceased were admitted.*

WEEK ENDED SATURDAY, 21ST OCTOBER, 1922.

	REGISTRARS' DISTRICTS, &c.	Estimated Population middle of 1922.*	Annual Rate of Mortality per 1,000 Living represented by Deaths. From all causes	From certain Epidemic Diseases†	Total Deaths.	Under 1 year.	1 and under 2.	2 and under 5.	5 and under 15.	15 and under 25.	25 and under 45.	45 and under 65.	65 and upwards.	Enteric Fever.	Typhus.	Small-pox.	Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Whooping-cough.	Diphtheria.	Dysentery.	Influenza.	Tuberculosis. Pulmonary.	Tuberculosis. Other Forms.	Cancer.	Diseases of Respiratory System. Pneumonia.	Diseases of Respiratory System. Other.	Diarrhœa and Enteritis of Children under 2 years.	Diarrhœa, 2 years and upwards.	Violence.	Other Causes.	Inquest Cases.	In Institutions. In Hospitals, Prisons and Lunatic Asylums.	In Institutions. In Workhouse Hospitals.	Number of Uncertified Deaths.
	Cols.	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)	(14)	(15)	(16)	(17)	(18)	(19)	(20)	(21)	(22)	(23)	(24)	(25)	(26)	(27)	(28)	(29)	(30)	(31)	(32)	(33)	34)
	DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA.																																		
Dublin City Districts.	North City, No. 1, E.	31,600	24·8	·	15	6	·	·	·	3	1	3	2	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	3	·	·	2	·	·	·	1	9	1	3	·	2
	" 1, W.	43,300	10·8	·	9	·	·	·	·	·	3	4	2	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	1	·	1	·	1	·	·	·	6	·	1	2	·
	" 2	29,000	14·4	·	8	1	·	1	1	1	1	3	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	1	1	1	·	1	·	·	1	3	2	3	·	·
	" 3	35,900	8·7	1·5	6	1	·	1	·	1	1	·	2	·	·	·	·	·	·	1	·	·	1	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	4	·	2	·	·
	Clontarf and Howth, No. 1, part of	5,800	45.0	·	5	·	·	·	·	·	·	2	3	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	1	·	·	·	·	·	4	·	1	1	·
	Coolock and Drumcondra, part of	14,300	7·3	·	2	·	·	·	·	·	·	1	1	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	2	·	·	·	·
	Finglas and Glasnevin, part of	11,700	17·8	·	4	·	·	·	·	·	1	1	2	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	1	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	3	·	1	·	·
	South City, No. 1	45,300	5·8	·	5	·	·	·	·	·	3	1	1	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	3	·	1	·	·	·	1	·	1	1	·
	" 2	19,100	10·9	2·7	4	2	·	·	·	·	·	2	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	1	·	·	1	·	·	2	·	2	·	·
	" 3	45,600	8·0	·	7	1	·	·	·	·	1	2	3	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	1	1	3	·	·	·	2	·	2	2	·
	" 4	34,500	16·6	1·5	11	2	1	·	·	·	2	4	2	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	1	·	·	1	1	·	·	8	·	2	2	·
	New Kilmainham	10,900	9.6	·	2	1	·	·	·	·	1	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	1	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	1	·	2	·	·
Urban Districts.	Rathmines and Rathgar	41,500	6·3	·	5	·	·	·	·	·	1	1	3	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	5	·	1	·	·
	Pembroke	31,100	8·4	·	5	·	·	·	·	·	2	·	3	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	1	1	1	·	·	·	·	·	2	·	2	·	·
	Blackrock	9,900	10·5	·	2	·	·	·	·	·	·	1	1	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	2	·	1	·	·
	Dún Laoghaire	17,500	6·0	·	2	·	·	·	·	·	1	1	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	1	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	1	·	·	·	·
	Total City of Dublin	327,000	12·4	0·5	78	14	1	2	1	5	14	23	18	·	·	·	·	·	·	1	·	·	8	2	8	3	7	2	·	2	45	3	20	8	2
	Total Urban Districts	100,000	7·3	·	14	·	·	·	·	·	4	3	7	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	2	1	1	·	·	·	·	·	10	·	4	·	·
	Total Dublin Registration Area	427,000	11·2	0·4	92	14	1	2	1	5	18	26	25	·	·	·	·	·	·	1	·	·	10	3	9	3	7	2	·	2	55	3	24	8	2
	Deaths relating to residents of localities situated outside the Registration Area (not included in above)				16	1	·	·	·	·	6	7	2	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	4	1	1	·	·	1	9	1	16	·	·
	CITY OF CORK.																																		
Cork City Districts	Cork Urban, No. 1	13,455	15·5	·	4	·	·	·	·	·	2	1	1	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	1	·	1	·	·	·	·	1	1	1	2	·	·
	" 2	10,399	5·0	·	1	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	1	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	1	·	·	·	·
	" 3	9,793	10·6	·	2	·	·	·	1	·	·	1	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	1	·	·	·	·	·	·	1	·	2	·	·
	" 4	9,139	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·
	" 5	6,250	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·
	" 6	11,581	22.5	·	5	1	·	·	·	·	2	2	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	1	·	·	·	4	·	1	·	·
	" 7	16,056	22.7	·	7	1	1	·	·	1	3	1	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	1	·	·	1	·	·	·	·	5	·	2	·	·
	Total City of Cork	76,673	12·9	·	19	2	1	·	1	·	3	7	5	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	2	1	1	1	1	·	·	1	12	1	7	·	·

The populations given for the City of Cork and its component parts are those according to the Census of 1911.

† See note (†) at foot of first page.

TABLE III.—Showing the NUMBER of CASES of IFNECTIOUS DISEASES notified in the Dublin Registration Area (viz. :—the City of Dublin, and the Urban Districts of Rathmines and Rathgar, Pembroke, Blackrock and Dún Laoghaire), and in the Cities of Cork, Limerick, and Waterford, during the week ended 21st October, 1922, and each of the preceding three weeks, as furnished by the respective Sanitary Authorities. A dash (—) denotes that the disease in question is not notifiable in the District.

Cities and Urban Districts.	Week ending	Enteric Fever.	Typhus.	Pyrexia—Continued Fever.	Relapsing Fever.	Small-pox.	Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Whooping-cough.	Diphtheria (including Membranous Croup).	Erysipelas.	Puerperal Fever.	Diarrhœal Diseases.	Dysentery	Malaria.	Trench Fever	Acute Primary Pneumonia and Acute Influenzal Pneumonia	Cerebro-spinal Fever	Acute Poliomyelitis	Encephalitis Lethargica	Tuberculosis.	Total.
City of Dublin	Sept. 30	3	.	.	.	.	—	5	—	2	2	.	—	.	.	.	2	.	.	—	5	19
	Oct. 7	2	.	.	.	.	—	11	—	3	1	.	—	.	.	.	3	.	.	—	6	26
	Oct. 14	.	.	.	.	.	—	10	—	8	1	1	—	.	1	.	3	.	.	—	16	40
	Oct. 21	5	.	.	.	.	—	15	—	13	1	.	—	.	.	.	3	.	.	—	10	47
Rathmines & Rathgar Urban District	Sept. 30	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	.
	Oct. 7	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	.
	Oct. 14	.	.	.	.	.	—	2	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	1	.	.	—	—	3
	Oct. 21	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	.
Pembroke Urban District	Sept. 30	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.
	Oct. 7	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	1
	Oct. 14	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	2
	Oct 21	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	2
Blackrock Urban District	Sept. 30	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.
	Oct. 7	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.
	Oct. 14	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	1
	Oct. 21	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.
Dún Laoghaire Urban District	Sept. 30	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.
	Oct. 7	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.
	Oct. 14	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.
	Oct. 21	.	.	.	.	.	—	1	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	1
City of Cork	Sept. 30	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	—	10	.	.	2	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	—	14
	Oct. 7	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	—	20	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	—	23
	Oct. 14	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	6	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	—	7
	Oct. 21	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	7	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	—	8
City of Limerick	Sept 30	2	.	.	.	.	—	1	—	1	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	4
	Oct. 7	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	3	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	3
	Oct. 14	.	.	.	.	.	—	2	—	2	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	4
	Oct. 21	1	.	.	.	.	—	2	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	3
City of Waterford	Sept. 30	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	.	.
	Oct. 7	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	.	.
	Oct. 14	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	.	.
	Oct. 21	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	.	.

TABLE IV.—Showing the NUMBER of CASES of the undermentioned DISEASES treated in Dublin Hospitals during the week ended Saturday, 21st October, 1922, with the number under treatment at the close of each of the last four weeks.

Diseases	No. of Cases in Hospital at close of week ended			Week ended 21st October			
	Sept. 30	Oct. 7	Oct. 14	No. admitted.	Dis-charged.	Died.	No. under treatment at close of week.
Enteric Fever, ...	8	9	9	6	1	.	14
Typhus, ...	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Small-pox, ...	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Measles, ...	2	2	2	1	.	.	3
Scarlet Fever,..	39	52	56	15	14	.	57*
Diphtheria, ...	25	28	30	12	4	1	37
Pneumonia, ...	12	15	15	8	4	.	19

* Exclusive of 21 patients in "Beneavin," the Convalescent Home of Cork Street Fever Hospital.

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TWELVE TOWN DISTRICTS.

The Births and Deaths * registered in the Dublin Registration Area and in eleven provincial Urban Districts of the Irish Free State, with the annual rates per 1,000 of the population represented thereby, which, for the purposes of these Returns, is estimated at 662,256, are given in Table I. The deaths from all causes appertaining to the undermentioned areas for last week and for the past four weeks, respectively, were equal to the following annual rates per 1,000 of the population :—

Twelve Town Districts, ‡ 12·1 and 13·1; Dublin Registration Area, 11·7 and 12·0; Dublin City, 13·4 and 13·1; Cork, 7·5 and 14·6; Limerick, 20·3 and 15·9; and Waterford, 3·8 and 11·9.

The deaths* from certain epidemic diseases† registered in the 12 town districts ‡ during last week were equal to an annual rate of 0·8 per 1,000. Among the 11 deaths from all causes for Cork is one from diphtheria. The 15 deaths from all causes for Limerick include one from diphtheria. Of the 2 deaths recorded for Waterford one is from measles. Among the 4 deaths from all causes for Wexford is one from the same disease, and enteric fever caused one of the 2 deaths recorded for Sligo.

DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA.

In the Dublin Registration Area the total number of births registered during the week amounted to 181—92 boys and 89 girls—and the deaths to 107—49 males and 58 females.

The deaths registered, omitting the deaths (numbering 11) of persons admitted to public institutions from localities outside the Dublin Registration Area, represent an annual rate of mortality of 11·7 per 1,000 of the population. During the forty-three weeks ending with Saturday last, the death-rate averaged 17·4 and was 2·8 below the mean rate for the corresponding portions of the ten years, 1912-1921. The rate for all deaths registered during the forty-three weeks was 18·9 and for the corresponding period of the preceding ten years 21·6.

Included in the 96 deaths appertaining to the Area are 3 from diphtheria, and 2 from diarrhœa and enteritis of children under 2 years. In the three preceding weeks deaths from diphtheria were one, 0, and one; and deaths from diarrhœa and enteritis of children under 2 years 7, 2, and 2.

There were 4 deaths from pneumonia, comprising 2 from broncho pneumonia, and 2 from pneumonia (not otherwise defined).

Tuberculous disease caused 10 deaths (including 9 from pulmonary tuberculosis, and one from tuberculous meningitis), as against 13, 14, and 13 from all forms of tuberculous disease in the three weeks preceding.

Seven deaths were caused by cancer, 8 by organic diseases of the heart, and 12 by bronchitis.

One accidental death was registered.

Among deaths of infants under one year old, 2 were due to convulsions, one to bronchitis, one to broncho-pneumonia, one to pneumonia, one to diarrhœa and enteritis, one to congenital malformation, 6 to premature birth, and 2 to congenital debility.

Eighteen of the deaths registered during the week, appertaining to the Area, were those of children under 5 years of age, 15 being infants under one year, of whom 7 were under one month old, and 32 deaths were those of persons aged 65 and upwards, of whom 22 were 70 years of age or over.

Of the 96 deaths recorded, 40 occurred in hospitals and other public institutions.

ENGLAND AND SCOTLAND.

The mortality among civilians for the week ended 28th October, in 105 large English towns (including London in which the rate was 10·9) was equal to an average annual death rate of 10·9 per 1,000 of the estimated civil population.

The average death-rate for 16 principal towns of Scotland was 13·0 per 1,000 persons living, the rate for Glasgow being 13·2 and for Edinburgh 15·5.

* Exclusive of the deaths of persons admitted into public institutions from without the respective districts.

† Enteric fever, typhus, small-pox, measles, scarlet fever, whooping-cough, diphtheria, dysentery, and diarrhœal diseases.

‡ See Note (*g*) Table I.

TABLE I.—BIRTHS and DEATHS registered during the week ended Saturday, 28th OCTOBER, 1922, in the DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA, in each of the under-mentioned 11 CITIES OR URBAN DISTRICTS, and in BELFAST and LONDONDERRY CITIES (*exclusive of Births and Deaths in Public Institutions relating to Persons admitted from other Districts*), the Number of Deaths from some of the PRINCIPAL CAUSES, and the Number of Uncertified Deaths with the Temperature and Rainfall for the week: also particulars regarding Births, Deaths and Meteorology in London, Edinburgh, and Glasgow.

TOWNS AND DISTRICTS.	POPULATION. Total (a)	Persons to an Acre.	REGISTRATION—WEEK ENDED SATURDAY, 28th OCTOBER, 1922. Annual Rate per 1,000 Persons Represented by: BIRTHS.	DEATHS. From all Causes.	DEATHS. From certain Epidemic Diseases. (b)	NUMBERS REGISTERED. BIRTHS: Total Number	DEATHS: Total Number	Under 1 year of Age.	At 65 years and upwards.	Caused by: Enteric Fever.	Typhus.	Small-pox.	Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Whooping-cough.	Diphtheria.	Dysentery.	Influenza.	Tuberculosis: Pulmonary.	Other Forms.	Cancer.	Diseases of the Respiratory System: Pneumonia.	Other.	Diarrhœa and Enteritis of children under 2 years of age.	Diarrhœa, 2 years of age and upwards.	Violence.	Inquest Cases.	No. of Deaths in Public Institutions.	Number of Uncertified Deaths.	METEOROLOGY. (c) WEEK ENDED 28TH OCTOBER, 1922. Air Temperature: Absolute Highest.	Absolute Lowest.	Mean Maximum (A).	Mean Minimum (B).	Mean of (A) and (B).	Rainfall in Inches.
COLS.	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)	(14)	(15)	(16)	(17)	(18)	(19)	(20)	(21)	(22)	(23)	(24)	(25)	(26)	(27)	(28)	(29)	(30)	(31)	(32)	(33)	(34)	(35)
TOTAL OF 12 TOWN DISTRICTS (g) ...	662,256	18·9	21·0	12·1	0·8	267	154	21	43	1	.	.	2	.	.	5	.	.	17	1	13	7	15	2	.	3	5	61	2	.	.	.	.	.	.
DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA	427,000	30·5	20·5	11·7	0·6	168	96	15	32	.	.	.	.	.	.	3	.	.	9	1	7	4	12	2	.	1	1	40	.	(d)50·1	35·0	47·7	39·9	43·8	0·22
Urban Districts. CITY OF DUBLIN	327,000	40·0	21·5	13·4	0·6	135	84	13	28	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	7	1	6	4	12	2	.	.	.	35	.	(e)51·0	40·0	48·1	43·6	45·9	0·19
																														(f)54·0	39·0	49·3	42·1	45·7	0·23
RATHMINES and RATHGAR ...	41,500	24·2	16·3	5·0	.	13	4	1	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
PEMBROKE ...	31,100	19·8	23·5	10·1	1·7	14	6	1	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
BLACKROCK ...	9,900	9·1	10·5	.	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
DÚN LAOGHAIRE	17,500	12·0	11·9	6·0	.	4	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	1	.	52	42	49·4	44·2	46·8	0·23
Urban Districts. CORK	76,673	28·6	25·2	7·5	0·7	37	11	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	3	4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
LIMERICK ...	38,518	16·1	13·5	20·3	1.4	10	15	3	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	2	.	2	1	2	.	.	.	.	6	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
WATERFORD ...	27,464	19 1	26·6	3·8	1·9	14	2	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
GALWAY	13,255	2·5	The annual rates			7	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	51	30	49	39	44	0·00
DUNDALK ...	13,128	9·5	represented by the			7	7	.	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
DROGHEDA ...	12,501	8·4	numbers of births			9	7	.	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
WEXFORD ...	11,531	22·8	and deaths regis-			7	4	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	1	1	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.
SLIGO	11,163	2·8	tered for these			3	2	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	52	27	49	36	42·5	0·00
KILKENNY ...	10,514	11·4	urban districts will			.	8	.	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	3	1	.	.	.	.	.	5	.	50	32	47·4	38·8	43·1	0·00
TRALEE ...	10,300	17·4	be shown in the			.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
CLONMEL	10,209	4·8	Quarterly Summary of the Weekly Returns.			5	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
BELFAST CITY	425,000	24·3	22·3	11·5	0·5	182	94	19	19	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	1	14	5	4	4	8	2	.	2	3	23	2	60·0	42·0	53·8	45·7	49·8	0·02
LONDONDERRY CITY ...	46,000	36·3	24·9	12·5	1·1	22	11	1	5	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	3	1	.	.	.	2	2	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
LONDON	4,514,405	—	—	10·9	—	1,820	946	114	331	—	—	—	1	2	4	22	—	—	92	12	123	72	68	18	5	45	86	479	.	53	24	49·4	34·9	42·2	0·08
EDINBURGH	420,500	—	—	15·5	1·1	158	125	18	44	—	—	—	1	1	3	2	—	1	—	—	—	17		2	—	5	—	—	—	46·0	33·0	44·6	36·4	40·5	0·04
GLASGOW	1,037,800	—	—	13·2	0·5	456	262	49	71	1	—	—	.	3	1	.	—	2	—	—	—	50		5	—	10	—	—	—	48·9	32·9	46·4	36·7	41·5	0·00

(a) According to the Census of 1911, but in the cases of the Dublin Registration Area and its component parts, the population given is that estimated to the middle of 1922. The estimate shown for London relates to the civil population in 1921. The population given for Glasgow and Edinburgh is that estimated to the middle of 1922. (b) See note (†) at foot of first page. (c) The observations shown for Cork were taken at Roche's Point, and those for Sligo at Markree. (d) Observations at Ordnance Survey Offices, Phœnix Park. (e) Observations by Sir John Moore, taken at Fitzwilliam Square (f) Observations taken at the Botanic Gardens, Glasnevin. (g) Exclusive of Tralee No. 2 district, the return for which has not been received.

TABLE II.—Showing for the WEEK ENDED 28TH OCTOBER, 1922, the number of DEATHS of Residents of the several REGISTRARS' DISTRICTS in the DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA, and in the CITY OF CORK, the annual Rate per 1,000 of the Population of the respective Districts represented thereby, and by the Deaths from the principal Epidemic Diseases†; with the mortality from some of the principal causes; also the Deaths at certain age-periods, and the number of Uncertified Deaths, *the Deaths in Public Institutions being assigned to the Districts from which the deceased were admitted.*

WEEK ENDED SATURDAY, 28TH OCTOBER, 1922.

	REGISTRARS' DISTRICTS, &c.	Estimated Population middle of 1922.*	Annual Rate of Mortality per 1,000 Living represented by Deaths. From all causes	From certain Epidemic Diseases†	Total Deaths.	Under 1 year.	1 and under 2.	2 and under 5.	5 and under 15.	15 and under 25.	25 and under 45.	45 and under 65.	65 and upwards.	Enteric Fever.	Typhus.	Small-pox.	Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Whooping-cough.	Diphtheria.	Dysentery.	Influenza.	Tuberculosis. Pulmonary.	Tuberculosis. Other Forms.	Cancer.	Diseases of Respiratory System. Pneumonia.	Diseases of Respiratory System. Other.	Diarrhœa and Enteritis of Children under 2 years.	Diarrhœa, 2 years and upwards.	Violence.	Other Causes.	Inquest Cases.	In Institutions. In Hospitals, Prisons and Lunatic Asylums.	In Institutions. In Workhouse Hospitals.	Number of Uncertified Deaths.
						DEATHS.								CAUSED BY																					
	Cols.	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)	(14)	(15)	(16)	(17)	(18)	(19)	(20)	(21)	(22)	(23)	(24)	(25)	(26)	(27)	(28)	(29)	(30)	(31)	(32)	(33)	34)
	DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA.																																		
Dublin City Districts.	North City, No. 1, E.	31,600	6·6	.	4	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	3	.	2	1	.
	" 1, W.	43,300	18·1	2·4	15	3	1	.	1	.	2	4	4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	1	1	2	.	.	9	.	2	4	.
	" 2	29,000	19·8	.	11	2	1	.	2	2	.	2	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	2	.	.	.	8	.	5	1	.
	" 3	35,900	11·6	1·5	8	.	.	.	1	1	1	1	4	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	1	.	.	1	1	.	.	.	4	.	1	2	.
	Clontarf and Howth, No. 1, part of	5,800	18.0	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	.	.
	Coolock and Drumcondra, part of	14,300	21·9	3·6	6	.	.	.	1	.	.	1	4	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	.	3	.	1	.	.
	Finglas and Glasnevin, part of	11,700	8·9	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	1	.	.
	South City, No. 1	45,300	5·8	.	5	1	.	.	.	.	1	1	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	2	.	1	.	.	.	1	.	1	1	.
	" 2	19,100	30·0	.	11	3	.	.	.	.	2	4	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	2	1	.	.	.	7	.	4	2	.
	" 3	45,600	11·4	.	10	4	.	.	.	1	1	2	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	2	.	.	.	6	.	5	.	.
	" 4	34,500	10·6	.	7	.	.	1	.	.	.	2	4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	5	.	.	2	.
	New Kilmainham	10,900	14·4	.	3	.	.	.	.	1	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Urban Districts.	Rathmines and Rathgar	41,500	5·0	.	4	1	.	.	.	1	.	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	3	.	1	.	.
	Pembroke	31,100	10·1	1·7	6	1	.	.	1	.	1	1	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	3	.	3	.	.
	Blackrock	9,900	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
	Dún Laoghaire	17,500	6·0	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	1	1	.	.
	Total City of Dublin	327,000	13·4	0·6	84	13	2	1	5	5	11	19	28	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	7	1	6	4	12	2	.	.	50	.	22	13	.
	Total Urban Districts	100,000	6·3	0·5	12	2	.	.	1	1	2	2	4	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	2	.	1	.	.	.	.	1	7	1	5	.	.
	Total Dublin Registration Area	427,000	11·7	0·6	96	15	2	1	6	6	13	21	32	.	.	.	.	.	.	3	.	.	9	1	7	4	12	2	.	1	57	1	27	13	.
	Deaths relating to residents of localities situated outside the Registration Area (not included in above)				11	1	.	2	.	1	1	6	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	4	.	.	.	.	1	5	.	9	2	.
	CITY OF CORK.																																		
Cork City Districts	Cork Urban, No. 1	13,455	3·9	.	1	.		.	1		.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.
	" 2	10,399	15·0	.	3	.		.	1		2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.
	" 3	9,793	.	.	.	.		.	.		.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
	" 4	9,139	5·7	.	1	.		.	.		.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.
	" 5	6,250	16·7	.	2	.		1	.		.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	1	.	.
	" 6	11,581	13·5	4·5	3	.		.	1		.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	1	1	.	.
	" 7	16,056	3·2	.	1	.		.	.		.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	.	.
	Total City of Cork	76,673	7·5	0·7	11	.		1	3		2	5	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	6	3	4	.	.

* The populations given for the City of Cork and its component parts are those according to the Census of 1911.

† See note (†) at foot of first page.

TABLE III.—Showing the NUMBER of CASES of INFECTIOUS DISEASES notified in the Dublin Registration Area (viz. :—the City of Dublin, and the Urban Districts of Rathmines and Rathgar, Pembroke, Blackrock and Dún Laoghaire), and in the Cities of Cork, Limerick, and Waterford, during the week ended 28th October, 1922, and each of the preceding three weeks, as furnished by the respective Sanitary Authorities. A dash (—) denotes that the disease in question is not notifiable in the District.

Cities and Urban Districts.	Week ending	Enteric Fever.	Typhus.	Pyrexia—Continued Fever.	Relapsing Fever.	Small-pox.	Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Whooping-cough.	Diphtheria (including Membranous Croup).	Erysipelas.	Puerperal Fever.	Diarrhœal Diseases.	Dysentery	Malaria.	Trench Fever	Acute Primary Pneumonia and Acute Influenzal Pneumonia	Cerebro-spinal Fever	Acute Poliomyelitis	Encephalitis Lethargica	Tuberculosis.	Total.
City of Dublin	Oct. 7	2	.	.	.	.	—	11	—	3	1	.	—	.	.	.	3	.	.	—	6	26
	Oct. 14	.	.	.	.	.	—	10	—	8	1	1	—	.	1	.	3	.	.	—	16	40
	Oct. 21	5	.	.	.	.	—	15	—	13	1	.	—	.	.	.	3	.	.	—	10	47
	Oct. 28	5	.	.	.	.	—	9	—	7	1	.	—	.	.	.	8	.	.	—	15	45
Rathmines & Rathgar Urban District	Oct. 7	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	.
	Oct. 14	.	.	.	.	.	—	2	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	1	.	.	—	—	3
	Oct. 21	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	.
	Oct. 28	.	.	.	.	.	—	1	—	1	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	2
Pembroke Urban District	Oct. 7	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	1
	Oct. 14	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	2
	Oct 21	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	2
	Oct. 28	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.
Blackrock Urban District	Oct. 7	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.
	Oct. 14	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	1
	Oct. 21	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.
	Oct. 28	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.
Dún Laoghaire Urban District	Oct. 7	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.
	Oct. 14	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.
	Oct. 21	.	.	.	.	.	—	1	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	1
	Oct. 28	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.
City of Cork	Oct. 7	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	—	20	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	—	23
	Oct. 14	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	6	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	—	7
	Oct. 21	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	7	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	—	8
	Oct. 28	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	—	3
City of Limerick	Oct. 7	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	3	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	3
	Oct. 14	.	.	.	.	.	—	2	—	2	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	4
	Oct. 21	1	.	.	.	.	—	2	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	3
	Oct. 28	.	.	.	.	.	—	2	—	4	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	6
City of Waterford	Oct. 7	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	.	.
	Oct. 14	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	.	.
	Oct. 21	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	.	.
	Oct. 28	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	.	.

TABLE IV.—Showing the NUMBER of CASES of the undermentioned DISEASES treated in Dublin Hospitals during the week ended Saturday, 28th October, 1922, with the number under treatment at the close of each of the last four weeks.

Diseases	No. of Cases in Hospital at close of week ended			Week ended 28th October			
	Oct. 7	Oct. 14	Oct. 21	No. admitted.	Dis-charged.	Died.	No. under treatment at close of week.
Enteric Fever, ...	9	9	14	3	2	.	15
Typhus, ...	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Small-pox, ...	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Measles, ...	2	2	3	.	1	.	2
Scarlet Fever, ...	52	56	57	9	10	.	56*
Diphtheria, ...	28	30	37	8	2	3	40
Pneumonia, ...	15	15	19	10	3	2	24

* Exclusive of 21 patients in "Beneavin," the Convalescent Home of Cork Street Fever Hospital.

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TWELVE TOWN DISTRICTS.

The Births and Deaths * registered in the Dublin Registration Area and in eleven provincial Urban Districts of the Irish Free State, with the annual rates per 1,000 of the population represented thereby, which, for the purposes of these Returns, is estimated at 662,256, are given in Table I. The deaths from all causes appertaining to the undermentioned areas for last week and for the past four weeks, respectively, were equal to the following annual rates per 1,000 of the population:—

Twelve Town Districts, ‡ 14·3 and 13·3; Dublin Registration Area, 14·5 and 12·6; Dublin City, 14·4 and 13·4; Cork, 12·2 and 12·6; Limerick, 13·5 and 15·5; and Waterford, 24·7 and 13·8.

The deaths* from certain epidemic diseases† registered in the 12 town districts ‡ during last week were equal to an annual rate of 0·9 per 1,000. Among the 18 deaths from all causes for Cork is one from diphtheria, and one of the 10 deaths from all causes for Limerick is from the same disease. The 13 deaths from all causes for Waterford include one from measles and one from diphtheria, and of the 4 deaths from all causes for Wexford one is from typhus.

DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA.

In the Dublin Registration Area the total number of births registered during the week amounted to 208—103 boys and 105 girls—and the deaths to 126—68 males and 58 females.

The deaths registered, omitting the deaths (numbering 7) of persons admitted to public institutions from localities outside the Dublin Registration Area, represent an annual rate of mortality of 14·5 per 1,000 of the population. During the forty-four weeks ending with Saturday, 4th November, the death-rate averaged 17·3 and was 2·9 below the mean rate for the corresponding portions of the ten years, 1912-1921. The rate for all deaths registered during the forty-four weeks was 18·8 and for the corresponding period of the preceding ten years 21·6.

Included in the 119 deaths appertaining to the Area are 6 from diarrhœa and enteritis of children under 2 years and 2 from influenza. In the three preceding weeks deaths from diarrhœa and enteritis of children under 2 years were 2, 2, and 2. There were no deaths from influenza registered in the three preceding weeks.

There were 8 deaths from pneumonia, comprising 5 from broncho pneumonia, one from lobar pneumonia, and 2 from pneumonia (not otherwise defined).

Tuberculous disease caused 12 deaths (including 7 from pulmonary tuberculosis, one from tuberculous meningitis, one from abdominal tuberculosis, and 3 from other forms of tuberculosis), as against 14, 13, and 10 from all forms of tuberculous disease in the three weeks preceding.

Seven deaths were caused by cancer, 11 by organic diseases of the heart, and 10 by bronchitis.

Eight accidental deaths were registered, of which one was due to scalds and 3 were attributed to gunshot wounds.

Among deaths of infants under one year old, 2 were due to convulsions, one to bronchitis, 3 to broncho-pneumonia, 6 to diarrhœa and enteritis, one te congenital malformation, 5 to premature birth, one to injury at birth, and 3 to congenital debility.

Thirty of the deaths registered during the week, appertaining to the Area, were those of children under 5 years of age, 25 being infants under one year, of whom 9 were under one month old, and 26 deaths were those of persons aged 65 and upwards, of whom 22 were 70 years of age or over.

Of the 119 deaths recorded, 54 occurred in hospitals and other public institutions.

ENGLAND AND SCOTLAND.

The mortality among civilians for the week ended 4th November, in 105 large English towns (including London in which the rate was 11·8) was equal to an average annual death rate of 11·5 per 1,000 of the estimated civil population.

The average death-rate for 16 principal towns of Scotland was 13·9 per 1,000 persons living, the rate for Glasgow being 14·8 and for Edinburgh 13·1.

* Exclusive of the deaths of persons admitted into public institutions from without the respective districts.

† Enteric fever, typhus, small-pox, measles, scarlet fever, whooping-cough, diphtheria, dysentery, and diarrhœal diseases.

‡ See Note (*g*) Table I.

TABLE I.—BIRTHS and DEATHS registered during the week ended Saturday, 4th NOVEMBER, 1922, in the DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA, in each of the under-mentioned 11 CITIES OR URBAN DISTRICTS, and in BELFAST and LONDONDERRY CITIES (*exclusive of Births and Deaths in Public Institutions relating to Persons admitted from other Districts*), the Number of Deaths from some of the PRINCIPAL CAUSES, and the Number of Uncertified Deaths with the Temperature and Rainfall for the week; also particulars regarding Births, Deaths and Meteorology in London, Edinburgh, and Glasgow.

TOWNS AND DISTRICTS.	POPULATION. Total (a)	Persons to an Acre.	Annual Rate per 1,000 Persons Represented by BIRTHS.	DEATHS. From all Causes.	DEATHS. From certain Epidemic Diseases. (b)	BIRTHS. Total Number.	DEATHS. Total Number.	Under 1 year of Age.	At 65 years and upwards.	Enteric Fever.	Typhus.	Small-pox.	Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Whooping-cough.	Diphtheria.	Dysentery.	Influenza.	Tuberculosis. Pulmonary.	Tuberculosis. Other Forms.	Cancer.	Diseases of the Respiratory System. Pneumonia.	Diseases of the Respiratory System. Other.	Diarrhœa and Enteritis of children under 2 years of age.	Diarrhœa, 2 years of age and upwards.	Violence.	Inquest Cases.	No. of Deaths in Public Institutions.	Number of Uncertified Deaths.	Meteorology (c) Week ended 4th November, 1922. Air Temperature. Absolute Highest.	Absolute Lowest.	Mean Maximum (A).	Mean Minimum (B).	Mean of (A) and (B).	Rainfall in Inches.
COLS.	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)	(14)	(15)	(16)	(17)	(18)	(19)	(20)	(21)	(22)	(23)	(24)	(25)	(26)	(27)	(28)	(29)	(30)	(31)	(32)	(33)	(34)	(35)
TOTAL OF 12 TOWN DISTRICTS (g) ...	662,256	18·9	22·5	14·3	0·9	286	182	30	45	.	1	.	1	.	.	3	.	2	13	8	14	11	16	7	.	9	9	84	5	.	.	.	.	.	.
DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA	427,000	30·5	23·3	14·5	0·7	191	119	25	26	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	7	5	7	8	10	6	.	8	9	54	2	(d)54·2	27·2	48·0	30·9	39·4	0·17
Urban Districts. CITY OF DUBLIN	327,000	40·0	24·4	14·4	1·0	153	90	24	18	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	7	4	5	7	9	6	.	5	6	40	2	(e)54·0 (f)54·0	31·0 29·0	47·3 48·6	35·3 32·8	41·3 40·7	0·20 0·26
Urban Districts. RATHMINES and RATHGAR ...	41,500	24·2	15·1	12·6	.	12	10	.	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	2	2	4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Urban Districts. PEMBROKE ...	31,100	19·8	30·2	16·8	.	18	10	.	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	1	1	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Urban Districts. BLACKROCK ...	9,900	9·1	10·5	10·5	.	2	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Urban Districts. DÚN LAOGHAIRE	17,500	12·0	17·9	20·9	.	6	7	1	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	5	.	55	33	48·1	37·7	42·9	0·13
Urban Districts. CORK	76,673	28·6	26·5	12·2	0·7	39	18	.	5	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	2	1	4	2	.	.	.	1	.	10	1	.	.	.	.	.	.
Urban Districts. LIMERICK ...	38,518	16·1	17·6	13·5	1·4	13	10	3	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	1	.	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	4	1	.	.	.	.	.	.
Urban Districts. WATERFORD ...	27,464	19·1	13·3	24·7	3·8	7	13	.	6	.	.	.	1	.	.	1	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	11	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Urban Districts. GALWAY	13,255	2·5	The annual rates represented by the numbers of births and deaths registered for these urban districts will be shown in the Quarterly Summary of the Weekly Returns.			3	5	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	50	28	48·4	30·0	39·2	0·74
Urban Districts. DUNDALK ...	13,128	9·5				.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Urban Districts. DROGHEDA ...	12,501	8·4				10	4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Urban Districts. WEXFORD ...	11,531	22·8				3	4	1	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	2	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Urban Districts. SLIGO	11,163	2·8				8	6	.	5	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	2	.	1	.	.	.	.	1	1	50	23	48	30	39	0·82
Urban Districts. KILKENNY ...	10,514	11·4				5	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	1	.	55	23	47·2	30·2	38·7	0·46
Urban Districts. TRALEE ...	10,300	17·4				3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Urban Districts. CLONMEL	10,209	4·8				4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
BELFAST CITY	425,000	24·3	21·1	12·8	0·2	172	104	12	29	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	11	2	10	4	11	.	.	3	2	29	1	55·0	31·0	52·5	35·1	43·8	0·35
LONDONDERRY CITY ...	46,000	36·3	27·2	14·7	.	24	13	3	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	4	3	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
LONDON	4,514,405	—	—	11·8	—	1,590	1,025	117	411	—	—	1	—	3	7	27	—	—	84	12	121	94	77	20	2	23	69	530	.	53	32	46·1	36·0	41·1	0·64
EDINBURGH	420,500	—	—	13·1	0·9	144	106	11	43	—	—	—	—	1	2	1	—	1	—	—	—	12		3	—	4	—	—	—	47·0	30·0	42·7	32·3	37·5	1·00
GLASGOW	1,037,800	—	—	14·8	0·3	428	295	57	80	—	2	—	—	3	3	—	—	3	—	—	—	77		—	—	12	—	—	—	46·0	27·9	43·3	30·8	37·0	0·99

(a) According to the Census of 1911, but in the cases of the Dublin Registration Area and its component parts, and Belfast and Londonderry, the population given is that estimated to the middle of 1922. The estimate shown for London relates to the civil population in 1921. The population given for Glasgow and Edinburgh is that estimated to the middle of 1922. (b) See note (†) at foot of first page. (c) The observations shown for Cork were taken at Roche's Point, and those for Sligo at Markree. (d) Observations at Ordnance Survey Offices, Phœnix Park. (e) Observations by Sir John Moore, taken at Fitzwilliam Square (f) Observations taken at the Botanic Gardens, Glasnevin. (g) Exclusive of Dundalk and Tralee No. 2 districts, the returns for which have not been received.

Table II.—Showing for the Week ended 4th November, 1922, the number of Deaths of Residents of the several Registrars' Districts in the Dublin Registration Area, and in the City of Cork, the annual Rate per 1,000 of the Population of the respective Districts represented thereby, and by the Deaths from the principal Epidemic Diseases†; with the mortality from some of the principal causes; also the Deaths at certain age-periods, and the number of Uncertified Deaths, *the Deaths in Public Institutions being assigned to the Districts from which the deceased were admitted.*

Week ended Saturday, 4th November, 1922.

Registrars' Districts, &c.	Estimated Population middle of 1922.*	Annual Rate of Mortality per 1,000 Living represented by Deaths. From all causes	From certain Epidemic Diseases†	Total Deaths.	Deaths. Under 1 year.	1 and under 2.	2 and under 5.	5 and under 15.	15 and under 25.	25 and under 45.	45 and under 65.	65 and upwards.	Caused by: Enteric Fever.	Typhus.	Small-pox.	Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Whooping-cough.	Diphtheria.	Dysentery.	Influenza.	Tuberculosis: Pulmonary.	Tuberculosis: Other Forms.	Cancer.	Diseases of Respiratory System: Pneumonia.	Diseases of Respiratory System: Other.	Diarrhœa and Enteritis of Children under 2 years.	Diarrhœa, 2 years and upwards.	Violence.	Other Causes.	Inquest Cases.	In Institutions: In Hospitals, Prisons and Lunatic Asylums.	In Institutions: In Workhouse Hospitals.	Number of Uncertified Deaths.
Cols.	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)	(14)	(15)	(16)	(17)	(18)	(19)	(20)	(21)	(22)	(23)	(24)	(25)	(26)	(27)	(28)	(29)	(30)	(31)	(32)	(33)	(34)
DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA.																																		
Dublin City Districts. North City, No. 1, E.	31,600	8·3	.	5	1	.	.	1	.	1	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	1	.	.	.	3	.	3	.	.
" 1, W.	43,300	25·3	.	21	5	1	1	.	.	3	6	5	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	3	.	1	3	.	.	.	1	12	1	4	6	2
" 2	29,000	19·8	3·6	11	4	1	.	.	.	3	2	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	2	2	.	.	6	.	3	2	.
" 3	35,900	13·1	1·5	9	3	.	.	.	1	2	1	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	6	1	2	3	.
Clontarf and Howth, No. 1, part of	5,800	18·0	.	2	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.
Coolock and Drumcondra, part of	14,300	25·5	.	7	2	.	.	.	.	1	2	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	6	1	1	1	.
Finglas and Glasnevin, part of	11,700	8·9	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.
South City, No. 1	45,300	15·0	1·2	13	4	1	.	.	3	2	2	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	2	1	1	1	.	2	4	2	3	1	.
" 2	19,100	2·7	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.
" 3	45,600	11·4	1·1	10	2	.	.	.	1	.	2	5	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	.	1	4	1	.	.	2	.	3	3	.
" 4	34,500	13·6	1·5	9	3	1	.	1	.	.	4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	.	1	.	1	5	1	2	1	.
New Kilmainham	10,900	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Urban Districts. Rathmines and Rathgar	41,500	12·6	.	10	.	.	.	.	1	2	4	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	2	7	2	4	.	.
Pembroke	31,100	16·8	.	10	.	.	.	1	.	1	5	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	1	8	1	3	.	.
Blackrock	9,900	10·5	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	1	.
Dún Laoghaire	17,500	20·9	.	7	1	.	.	.	.	2	2	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	5	.	1	4	.
Total City of Dublin	327,000	14·4	1·0	90	24	4	1	2	6	14	21	18	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	7	4	5	7	9	6	.	5	45	6	22	18	2
Total Urban Districts	100,000	15·1	.	29	1	.	.	1	1	6	12	8	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	2	1	1	.	.	3	21	3	9	5	.
Total Dublin Registration Area	427,000	14·5	0·7	119	25	4	1	3	7	20	33	26	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	7	5	7	8	10	6	.	8	66	9	31	23	2
Deaths relating to residents of localities situated outside the Registration Area (not included in above)				7	.	.	.	.	.	1	3	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	7	.	7	.	.
CITY OF CORK.																																		
Cork City Districts. Cork Urban, No. 1	13,455	19·4	.	5	.	.	.	1	.	.	3	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	4	.	.
" 2	10,399	5·0	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	1
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" 5	6,250	25·0	.	3	.	.	.	1	.	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	1	.	2	.	.
" 6	11,581	18·0	.	4	.	.	.	1	.	1	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	1	1	.	1	.	.
" 7	16,056	13·0	3·2	4	.	.	1	.	.	.	1	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	2	.	.
Total City of Cork	76,673	12·2	0·7	18	.	.	1	.	3	1	8	5	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	2	1	4	2	.	.	.	1	7	.	10	.	1

* The populations given for the City of Cork and its component parts are those according to the Census of 1911.

† See note (†) at foot of first page.

TABLE III.—Showing the NUMBER of CASES of IFNECTIOUS DISEASES notified in the Dublin Registration Area (viz. :—the City of Dublin, and the Urban Districts of Rathmines and Rathgar, Pembroke, Blackrock and Dún Laoghaire), and in the Cities of Cork, Limerick, and Waterford, during the week ended 4th November, 1922, and each of the preceding three weeks, as furnished by the respective Sanitary Authorities. A dash (—) denotes that the disease in question is not notifiable in the District.

Cities and Urban Districts.	Week ending	Enteric Fever.	Typhus.	Pyrexia—Continued Fever.	Relapsing Fever.	Small-pox.	Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Whooping-cough.	Diphtheria (including Membranous Croup).	Erysipelas.	Puerperal Fever.	Diarrhœal Diseases.	Dysentery.	Malaria.	Trench Fever.	Acute Primary Pneumonia and Acute Influenzal Pneumonia	Cerebro-spinal Fever	Acute Poliomyelitis	Encephalitis Lethargica	Tuberculosis.	Total.
City of Dublin	Oct. 14	.	.	.	.	.	—	10	—	8	1	1	—	.	1	.	3	.	.	—	16	40
	Oct. 21	5	.	.	.	.	—	15	—	13	1	.	—	.	.	.	3	.	.	—	10	47
	Oct. 28	5	.	.	.	.	—	9	—	7	1	.	—	.	.	.	8	.	.	—	15	45
	Nov. 4	.	.	.	.	.	—	13	—	6	1	1	—	.	.	.	4	.	.	—	3	28
Rathmines & Rathgar Urban District	Oct. 14	.	.	.	.	.	—	2	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	1	.	.	—	—	3
	Oct. 21	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	.
	Oct. 28	.	.	.	.	.	—	1	—	1	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	2
	Nov. 4	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	.
Pembroke Urban District	Oct. 14	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	2
	Oct 21	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	2
	Oct. 28	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.
	Nov. 4	1	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	1	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	4
Blackrock Urban District	Oct. 14	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	1
	Oct. 21	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.
	Oct. 28	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.
	Nov. 4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.
Dún Laoghaire Urban District	Oct. 14	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.
	Oct. 21	.	.	.	.	.	—	1	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	1
	Oct. 28	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.
	Nov. 4	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.
City of Cork	Oct. 14	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	6	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	—	7
	Oct. 21	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	7	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	—	8
	Oct. 28	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	—	3
	Nov. 4	.	.	.	.	.	.	8	—	14	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	—	22
City of Limerick	Oct. 14	.	.	.	.	.	—	2	—	2	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	4
	Oct. 21	1	.	.	.	.	—	2	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	3
	Oct. 28	.	.	.	.	.	—	2	—	4	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	6
	Nov. 4	.	.	.	.	.	—	1	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	1
City of Waterford	Oct. 14	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	.	.
	Oct. 21	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	.	.
	Oct. 28	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	.	.
	Nov. 4	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	.	.

TABLE IV.—Showing the NUMBER of CASES of the undermentioned DISEASES treated in Dublin Hospitals during the week ended Saturday, 4th November, 1922, with the number under treatment at the close of each of the last four weeks.

Diseases	No. of Cases in Hospital at close of week ended			Week ended 4th November			
	Oct. 14	Oct. 21	Oct. 28	No. admitted.	Dis-charged.	Died.	No. under treatment at close of week.
Enteric Fever, ...	9	14	15	2	.	.	17
Typhus, ...	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Small-pox, ...	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Measles, ...	2	3	2	2	.	.	4
Scarlet Fever, ...	56	57	56	15	11	.	60*
Diphtheria, ...	30	37	40	9	3	.	46
Pneumonia, ...	15	19	24	3	3	1	23

* Exclusive of 21 patients in "Beneavin," the Convalescent Home of Cork Street Fever Hospital.

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TWELVE TOWN DISTRICTS.

The Births and Deaths * registered in the Dublin Registration Area and in eleven provincial Urban Districts of the Irish Free State, with the annual rates per 1,000 of the population represented thereby, which, for the purposes of these Returns, is estimated at 662,256, are given in Table I. The deaths from all causes appertaining to the undermentioned areas for last week and for the past four weeks, respectively, were equal to the following annual rates per 1,000 of the population:—

Twelve Town Districts, 15·3 and 13·4; Dublin Registration Area, 15·6 and 13·3; Dublin City, 16·6 and 14·2; Cork, 12·2 and 11·2; Limerick, 17·6 and 15·5; and Waterford, 19·0 and 13·8.

The deaths* from certain epidemic diseases† registered in the 12 town districts during last week were equal to an annual rate of 1·0 per 1,000. Among the 18 deaths from all causes for Cork are one from diphtheria and 2 from diarrhœa and enteritis of children under 2 years. Of the 10 deaths recorded for Waterford one is from measles. And one of the 5 deaths from all causes for Clonmel is from the same disease.

DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA.

In the Dublin Registration Area the total number of births registered during the week amounted to 170—73 boys and 97 girls—and the deaths to 140—69 males and 71 females.

The deaths registered, omitting the deaths (numbering 12) of persons admitted to public institutions from localities outside the Dublin Registration Area, represent an annual rate of mortality of 15·6 per 1,000 of the population. During the forty-five weeks ending with Saturday last, the death-rate averaged 17·3 and was 2·9 below the mean rate for the corresponding portions of the ten years, 1912-1921. The rate for all deaths registered during the forty-five weeks was 18·8 and for the corresponding period of the preceding ten years 21·7.

Included in the 128 deaths appertaining to the Area are one from scarlet fever, one from whooping-cough, 5 from diarrhœa and enteritis of children under 2 years and one from influenza. In the three preceding weeks deaths from diarrhœa and enteritis of children under 2 years were 2, 2, and 6; and deaths from influenza 0, 0, and 2. There were no deaths from scarlet fever, or whooping-cough, registered in the three preceding weeks.

There were 9 deaths from pneumonia, comprising 6 from broncho-pneumonia, one from lobar pneumonia, and 2 from pneumonia (not otherwise defined).

Tuberculous disease caused 12 deaths (including 11 from pulmonary tuberculosis, and one from abdominal tuberculosis), as against 13, 10, and 12 from all forms of tuberculous disease in the three weeks preceding.

Five deaths were caused by cancer, 15 by organic diseases of the heart, and 17 by bronchitis.

Three accidental deaths were registered, of which one was caused by burns, and there were 2 cases of homicide and one of suicide.

Among deaths of infants under one year old, one was due to whooping-cough, one to meningitis, 4 to convulsions, 2 to bronchitis, 5 to broncho-pneumonia, one to pneumonia, 4 to diarrhœa and enteritis, 2 to congenital malformations, 4 to premature birth, and 5 to congenital debility.

Forty of the deaths registered during the week, appertaining to the Area, were those of children under 5 years of age, 32 being infants under one year, of whom 7 were under one month old, and 35 deaths were those of persons aged 65 and upwards, of whom 21 were 70 years of age or over.

Of the 128 deaths recorded, 49 occurred in hospitals and other public institutions.

ENGLAND AND SCOTLAND.

The mortality among civilians for the week ended 11th November, in 105 large English towns (including London in which the rate was 12·5) was equal to an average annual death rate of 12·6 per 1,000 of the estimated civil population.

The average death-rate for 16 principal towns of Scotland was 14·9 per 1,000 persons living, the rate for Glasgow being 15·5 and for Edinburgh 13·3.

* Exclusive of the deaths of persons admitted into public institutions from without the respective districts.
† Enteric fever, typhus, small-pox, measles, scarlet fever, whooping-cough, diphtheria, dysentery, and diarrhœal diseases.

TABLE I.—BIRTHS and DEATHS registered during the week ended Saturday, 11th NOVEMBER, 1922, in the DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA, in each of the under-mentioned 11 CITIES OR URBAN DISTRICTS, and in BELFAST and LONDONDERRY CITIES (*exclusive of Births and Deaths in Public Institutions relating to Persons admitted from other Districts*), the Number of Deaths from some of the PRINCIPAL CAUSES, and the Number of Uncertified Deaths with the Temperature and Rainfall for the week; also particulars regarding Births, Deaths and Meteorology in London, Edinburgh, and Glasgow.

TOWNS AND DISTRICTS.	POPULATION. Total (a)	Persons to an Acre.	Annual Rate per 1,000 Persons Represented by BIRTHS.	DEATHS. From all Causes.	DEATHS. From certain Epidemic Diseases. (b)	REGISTRATION—WEEK ENDED SATURDAY, 11th NOVEMBER, 1922. NUMBERS REGISTERED. BIRTHS. Total Number.	DEATHS. Total Number.	Under 1 year of Age.	At 65 years and upwards.	Caused by: Enteric Fever.	Typhus.	Small-pox.	Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Whooping-cough.	Diphtheria.	Dysentery.	Influenza.	Tuberculosis. Pulmonary.	Tuberculosis. Other Forms.	Cancer.	Diseases of the Respiratory System. Pneumonia.	Diseases of the Respiratory System. Other.	Diarrhœa and Enteritis of children under 2 years of age.	Diarrhœa, 2 years of age and upwards.	Violence.	Inquest Cases.	No. of Deaths in Public Institutions.	Number of Uncertified Deaths.	METEOROLOGY. (c) WEEK ENDED 11TH NOVEMBER, 1922. Air Temperature. Absolute Highest.	Absolute Lowest.	Mean Maximum (A).	Mean Minimum (B).	Mean of (A) and (B).	Rainfall in Inches.
COLS.	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)	(14)	(15)	(16)	(17)	(18)	(19)	(20)	(21)	(22)	(23)	(24)	(25)	(26)	(27)	(28)	(29)	(30)	(31)	(32)	(33)	(34)	(35)
TOTAL OF 12 TOWN DISTRICTS ...	662,256	18·9	24·2	15·3	1·0	307	194	43	55	.	.	.	2	1	1	1	.	1	18	4	6	14	27	8	.	12	12	62	13	.	.	.	.	.	.
DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA	427,000	30·5	19·0	15·6	0·9	156	128	32	35	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	.	1	11	1	5	9	20	5	.	6	5	49	2	(d)56·6	28·4	52·4	36·4	44·4	0·30
Urban Districts. CITY OF DUBLIN	327,000	40·0	20·6	16·6	1·0	129	104	29	24	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	1	8	1	1	9	17	5	.	6	5	43	2	(e)55·0 (f)56·6	33·2 28·6	50·9 52·4	40·7 37·5	45·8 45·0	0·24 0·27
Urban Districts. RATHMINES and RATHGAR ...	41,500	24·2	11·3	8·8	.	9	7	.	4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	1	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Urban Districts. PEMBROKE ...	31,100	19·8	11·7	11·7	.	7	7	1	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Urban Districts. BLACKROCK ...	9,900	9·1	10·5	15·8	5·3	2	3	1	2	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Urban Districts. DÚN LAOGHAIRE	17,500	12·0	26·8	20·9	.	9	7	1	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	1	.	54	33	50·1	40·1	45·1	0·30
Urban Districts. CORK	76,673	28·6	21·8	12·2	2·0	32	18	1	6	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	1	1	.	.	.	2	.	.	1	7	1	.	.	.	.	.	.
Urban Districts. LIMERICK ...	38,518	16·1	56·9	17·6	.	42	13	2	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	3	.	.	3	3	1	3	.	.	.	.	.	.
Urban Districts. WATERFORD ...	27,464	19·1	32·3	19·0	1·9	17	10	2	2	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	2	2	.	.	2	.	.	1	1	2	1	.	.	.	.	.	.
Urban Districts. GALWAY	13,255	2·5	The annual rates			11	7	3	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	2	1	1	.	.	.	.	1	55	32	52	36	44	1·21
Urban Districts. DUNDALK ...	13,128	9·5	represented by the			11	4	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	.	2	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Urban Districts. DROGHEDA ...	12,501	8·4	numbers of births			10	4	2	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.
Urban Districts. WEXFORD ...	11,531	22·8	and deaths regis-			11	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.
Urban Districts. SLIGO	11,163	2·8	tered for these			2	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	54	29	51	39	45	1·83
Urban Districts. KILKENNY ...	10,514	11·4	urban districts will			9	2	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	54	26	51·7	34·7	43·2	1·00
Urban Districts. TRALEE ...	10,300	17·4	be shown in the			.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Urban Districts. CLONMEL	10,209	4·8	Quarterly Summary of the Weekly Returns.			6	5	.	2	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	1	.	.	.	.	.	.
BELFAST CITY	425,000	24·3	23·1	16·1	0·6	188	131	30	41	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	3	16	2	5	10	13	4	.	3	4	26	3	54·0	30·2	51·4	34·5	43·0	0·86
LONDONDERRY CITY ...	46,000	36·3	26·1	15·9	.	23	14	3	4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	5	1	.	.	.	1	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
LONDON	4,514,405	—	—	12·5	—	1,690	1,083	103	430	1	.	12	.	4	4	17	—	—	74	17	134	119	89	15	5	49	98	531	1	56	29	51·4	37·9	44·7	0·75
EDINBURGH	420,500	—	—	13·3	0·7	149	107	7	44	.	.	.	3	.	1	1	—	1	—	—	—	19		1	—	6	—	—	—	52·0	34·0	46·9	38·1	42·5	0·76
GLASGOW	1,037,800	—	—	15·5	0·8	430	309g	47	84	.	.	.	3	.	5	3	—	3	—	—	—	73		4	—	8	—	—	—	51·8	34·0	48·0	37·4	42·7	1·23

(a) According to the Census of 1911, but in the cases of the Dublin Registration Area and its component parts, and Belfast and Londonderry, the population given is that estimated to the middle of 1922. The estimate shown for London relates to the civil population in 1921. The population given for Glasgow and Edinburgh is that estimated to the middle of 1922. (b) See note (†) at foot of first page. (c) The observations shown for Cork were taken at Roche's Point, and those for Sligo at Markree. (d) Observations at Ordnance Survey Offices, Phœnix Park. (e) Observations by Sir John Moore, taken at Fitzwilliam Square (f) Observations taken at the Botanic Gardens, Glasnevin. (g) Including one death from cerebro-spinal meningitis.

TABLE II.—Showing for the WEEK ENDED 11TH NOVEMBER, 1922, the number of DEATHS of Residents of the several REGISTRARS' DISTRICTS in the DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA, and in the CITY OF CORK, the annual Rate per 1,000 of the Population of the respective Districts represented thereby, and by the Deaths from the principal Epidemic Diseases†; with the mortality from some of the principal causes; also the Deaths at certain age-periods, and the number of Uncertified Deaths, *the Deaths in Public Institutions being assigned to the Districts from which the deceased were admitted.*

WEEK ENDED SATURDAY, 11TH NOVEMBER, 1922.

REGISTRARS' DISTRICTS, &c.	Estimated Population middle of 1922.*	Annual Rate of Mortality per 1,000 Living represented by Deaths. From all causes	From certain Epidemic Diseases†	Total Deaths.	Under 1 year.	1 and under 2.	2 and under 5.	5 and under 15.	15 and under 25.	25 and under 45.	45 and under 65.	65 and upwards.	Enteric Fever.	Typhus.	Small-pox.	Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Whooping-cough.	Diphtheria.	Dysentery.	Influenza.	Tuberculosis. Pulmonary.	Tuberculosis. Other Forms.	Cancer.	Diseases of Respiratory System. Pneumonia.	Diseases of Respiratory System. Other.	Diarrhœa and Enteritis of Children under 2 years.	Diarrhœa, 2 years and upwards.	Violence.	Other Causes.	Inquest Cases.	In Institutions. In Hospitals, Prisons and Lunatic Asylums.	In Institutions. In Workhouse Hospitals.	Number of Uncertified Deaths.
COLS.	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)	(14)	(15)	(16)	(17)	(18)	(19)	(20)	(21)	(22)	(23)	(24)	(25)	(26)	(27)	(28)	(29)	(30)	(31)	(32)	(33)	34)
DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA.																																		
Dublin City Districts. North City, No. 1, E.	31,600	19·8	3·3	12	6	.	1	1	.	1	1	2	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	3	1	1	.	.	6	.	3	1	.
" 1, W.	43,300	18·1	1·2	15	4	.	1	.	1	2	2	5	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	1	1	.	2	10	2	6	.	.
" 2	29,000	14·4	.	8	4	.	.	.	.	1	1	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	1	1	.	.	.	5	.	1	2	.
" 3	35,900	17·4	1·5	12	4	.	.	.	1	.	3	4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	1	2	1	.	.	7	.	3	.	2
Clontarf and Howth, No. 1, part of	5,800	18·0	.	2	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	1	.	.
Coolock and Drumcondra, part of	14,300	3·6	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Finglas and Glasnevin, part of	11,700	8·9	.	2	1	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	1	1	.	.
South City, No. 1	45,300	19·6	1·2	17	2	1	2	.	1	2	6	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	2	4	1	.	1	7	1	4	4	.
" 2	19,100	10·9	.	4	1	.	.	1	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	1	2	.	1	2	.
" 3	45,600	18·3	.	16	3	1	2	.	1	1	4	4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	1	.	2	2	.	.	.	9	.	4	3	.
" 4	34,500	16·6	1·5	11	4	.	.	.	1	1	2	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	3	1	.	1	5	1	4	2	.
New Kilmainham	10,900	19·1	.	4	.	.	.	.	1	.	2	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.
Urban Districts. Rathmines and Rathgar	41,500	8·8	.	7	.	.	.	.	.	.	3	4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	1	.	.	.	4	.	1	1	.
Pembroke	31,100	11·7	.	7	1	.	.	1	1	1	.	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	4	.	3	.	.
Blackrock	9,900	15·8	5·3	3	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.
Dún Laoghaire	17,500	20·9	.	7	1	.	.	.	1	.	3	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	4	.	1	.	.
Total City of Dublin	327,000	16·6	1·0	104	29	2	6	2	8	12	21	24	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	1	8	1	1	9	17	5	.	6	55	5	29	14	2
Total Urban Districts	100,000	12·5	0·5	24	3	.	.	1	2	1	6	11	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	3	.	4	.	3	.	.	.	13	.	5	1	.
Total Dublin Registration Area	427,000	15·6	0·9	128	32	2	6	3	10	13	27	35	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	.	1	11	1	5	9	20	5	.	6	68	5	34	15	2
Deaths relating to residents of localities situated outside the Registration Area (not included in above)				12	1	.	.	.	2	3	4	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	10	.	11	1	.
CITY OF CORK.																																		
Cork City Districts. Cork Urban, No. 1	13,455	3·9	.	1	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
" 2	10,399	20·1	.	4	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	4	.	2	.	.
" 3	9.793	5·3	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.
" 4	9,139	11·4	.	2	.	1	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	.	.
" 5	6,250	16·7	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	1	.	.
" 6	11,581	4·5	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	1
" 7	16,056	22·7	9·7	7	1	2	.	.	1	2	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	4	.	3	.	.
Total City of Cork	76,673	12·2	2·0	18	1	3	.	1	1	6	6	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	1	1	.	.	.	2	.	.	13	1	7	.	1

* The populations given for the City of Cork and its component parts are those according to the Census of 1911.

† See note (†) at foot of first page.

TABLE III.—Showing the NUMBER of CASES of IFNECTIOUS DISEASES notified in the Dublin Registration Area (viz. :—the City of Dublin, and the Urban Districts of Rathmines and Rathgar, Pembroke, Blackrock and Dún Laoghaire), and in the Cities of Cork, Limerick, and Waterford, during the week ended 11th November, 1922, and each of the preceding three weeks, as furnished by the respective Sanitary Authorities. A dash (—) denotes that the disease in question is not notifiable in the District.

Cities and Urban Districts.	Week ending	Enteric Fever.	Typhus.	Pyrexia—Continued Fever.	Relapsing Fever.	Small-pox.	Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Whooping-cough.	Diphtheria (including Membranous Croup).	Erysipelas.	Puerperal Fever.	Diarrhœal Diseases.	Dysentery.	Malaria.	Trench Fever	Acute Primary Pneumonia and Acute Influenzal Pneumonia	Cerebro-spinal Fever	Acute Poliomyelitis	Encephalitis Lethargica.	Tuberculosis.	Total.
City of Dublin	Oct. 21	5	.	.	.	.	—	15	—	13	1	.	—	.	.	.	3	.	.	—	10	47
	Oct. 28	5	.	.	.	.	—	9	—	7	1	.	—	.	.	.	8	.	.	—	15	45
	Nov. 4	.	.	.	.	.	—	13	—	6	1	1	—	.	.	.	4	.	.	—	3	28
	Nov. 11	.	.	.	.	.	—	6	—	5	3	.	—	.	1	.	4	.	.	—	12	31
Rathmines & Rathgar Urban District	Oct. 21	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	.
	Oct. 28	.	.	.	.	.	—	1	—	1	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	2
	Nov. 4	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	.
	Nov. 11	.	.	.	.	.	—	1	—	.	1	.	—	.	.	.	1	.	.	—	—	3
Pembroke Urban District	Oct. 21	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	2
	Oct. 28	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.
	Nov. 4	1	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	1	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	4
	Nov. 11	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.
Blackrock Urban District	Oct. 21	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.
	Oct. 28	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.
	Nov. 4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.
	Nov. 11	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.
Dún Laoghaire Urban District	Oct. 21	.	.	.	.	.	—	1	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	1
	Oct. 28	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.
	Nov. 4	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.
	Nov. 11	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	1	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	1
City of Cork	Oct. 21	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	7	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	—	8
	Oct. 28	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	—	3
	Nov. 4	.	.	.	.	.	.	8	—	14	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	—	22
	Nov. 11	.	.	.	.	.	.	3	—	7	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	—	10
City of Limerick	Oct. 21	1	.	.	.	.	—	2	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	3
	Oct. 28	.	.	.	.	.	—	2	—	4	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	6
	Nov. 4	.	.	.	.	.	—	1	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	1
	Nov. 11	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	6	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	6
City of Waterford	Oct. 21	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	.	.
	Oct. 28	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	.	.
	Nov. 4	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	.	.
	Nov. 11	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	.	.

TABLE IV.—Showing the NUMBER of CASES of the undermentioned DISEASES treated in Dublin Hospitals during the week ended Saturday, 11th November, 1922, with the number under treatment at the close of each of the last four weeks.

Diseases	No. of Cases in Hospital at close of week ended			Week ended 11th November			
	Oct. 21	Oct. 28	Nov. 4	No. admitted.	Discharged.	Died.	No. under treatment at close of week.
Enteric Fever, ...	14	15	17	3	.	.	20
Typhus, ...	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Small-pox, ...	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Measles, ...	3	2	4	.	1	.	3
Scarlet Fever, ...	57	56	60	13	9	1	63*
Diphtheria, ...	37	40	46	8	8	.	46
Pneumonia, ...	19	24	23	5	4	.	24

* Exclusive of 20 patients in "Beneavin," the Convalescent Home of Cork Street Fever Hospital.

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TWELVE TOWN DISTRICTS.

The Births and Deaths * registered in the Dublin Registration Area and in eleven provincial Urban Districts of the Irish Free State, with the annual rates per 1,000 of the population represented thereby, which, for the purposes of these Returns, is estimated at 662,256, are given in Table I. The deaths from all causes appertaining to the undermentioned areas for last week and for the past four weeks, respectively, were equal to the following annual rates per 1,000 of the population:—

Twelve Town Districts, 15·6 and 14·3; Dublin Registration Area, 15·0 and 14·2; Dublin City, 14·5 and 14·7; Cork, 12·2 and 11·0; Limerick, 23·0 and 18·6; and Waterford, 17·1 and 16·1.

The deaths* from certain epidemic diseases† registered in the 12 town districts during last week were equal to an annual rate of 0·8 per 1,000. Among the 17 deaths from all causes for Limerick is one from scarlet fever, and of the 9 deaths from all causes for Waterford 2 are from measles.

DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA.

In the Dublin Registration Area the total number of births registered during the week amounted to 237—125 boys and 112 girls—and the deaths to 131—78 males and 53 females.

The deaths registered, omitting the deaths (numbering 8) of persons admitted to public institutions from localities outside the Dublin Registration Area, represent an annual rate of mortality of 15·0 per 1,000 of the population. During the forty-six weeks ending with Saturday last, the death-rate averaged 17·2 and was 3·0 below the mean rate for the corresponding portions of the ten years, 1912-1921. The rate for all deaths registered during the forty-six weeks was 18·7 and for the corresponding period of the preceding ten years 21·7.

Included in the 123 deaths appertaining to the Area are one from whooping-cough, 5 from diarrhœa and enteritis of children under 2 years and 2 from influenza. In the three preceding weeks deaths from whooping-cough were 0, 0, and one; deaths from diarrhœa and enteritis of children under 2 years 2, 6, and 5; and deaths from influenza 0, 2, and one.

There were 10 deaths from pneumonia, comprising 6 from broncho-pneumonia, 3 from lobar pneumonia, and one from pneumonia (not otherwise defined).

Tuberculous disease caused 14 deaths (including 10 from pulmonary tuberculosis, 2 from tuberculous meningitis, and 2 from other forms of tuberculosis), as against 10, 12, and 12 from all forms of tuberculous disease in the three weeks preceding.

Ten deaths were caused by cancer, 11 by organic diseases of the heart, and 16 by bronchitis.

Six accidental deaths were registered, of which one was caused by burns, and one by gunshot wounds and there were 2 cases of suicide and one of homicide.

Among deaths of infants under one year old, one was due to whooping-cough, 3 to broncho-pneumonia, 4 to diarrhœa and enteritis, 2 to premature birth, and one to congenital debility.

Nineteen of the deaths registered during the week, appertaining to the Area, were those of children under 5 years of age, 13 being infants under one year, of whom 4 were under one month old, and 43 deaths were those of persons aged 65 and upwards, of whom 32 were 70 years of age or over.

Of the 123 deaths recorded, 58 occurred in hospitals and other public institutions.

ENGLAND AND SCOTLAND.

The mortality among civilians for the week ended 18th November, in 105 large English towns (including London in which the rate was 13·3) was equal to an average annual death rate of 12·9 per 1,000 of the estimated civil population.

The average death-rate for 16 principal towns of Scotland was 15·5 per 1,000 persons living, the rate for Glasgow being 15·0 and for Edinburgh 17·0.

* Exclusive of the deaths of persons admitted into public institutions from without the respective districts.
† Enteric fever, typhus, small-pox, measles, scarlet fever, whooping-cough, diphtheria, dysentery, and diarrhœal diseases.

TABLE I.—BIRTHS and DEATHS registered during the week ended Saturday, 18th NOVEMBER, 1922, in the DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA, in each of the under-mentioned 11 CITIES OR URBAN DISTRICTS, and in BELFAST and LONDONDERRY CITIES (*exclusive of Births and Deaths in Public Institutions relating to Persons admitted from other Districts*), the Number of Deaths from some of the PRINCIPAL CAUSES, and the Number of Uncertified Deaths with the Temperature and Rainfall for the week; also particulars regarding Births, Deaths and Meteorology in London, Edinburgh, and Glasgow.

TOWNS AND DISTRICTS.	POPULATION. Total (a)	Persons to an Acre.	Annual Rate per 1,000 Persons Represented by BIRTHS.	DEATHS. From all Causes.	DEATHS. From certain Epidemic Diseases. (b)	BIRTHS Total Number	DEATHS Total Number	Under 1 year of Age.	At 65 years and upwards.	Enteric Fever.	Typhus.	Small-pox.	Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Whooping-cough.	Diphtheria.	Dysentery.	Influenza.	Tuberculosis. Pulmonary.	Tuberculosis. Other Forms.	Cancer.	Diseases of the Respiratory System. Pneumonia.	Diseases of the Respiratory System. Other.	Diarrhœa and Enteritis of children under 2 years of age.	Diarrhœa, 2 years of age and upwards.	Violence.	Inquest Cases.	No. of Deaths in Public Institutions.	Number of Uncertified Deaths.	Absolute Highest.	Absolute Lowest.	Mean Maximum (A).	Mean Minimum (B).	Mean of (A) and (B).	Rainfall in Inches.
	REGISTRATION—WEEK ENDED SATURDAY, 18th NOVEMBER, 1922. NUMBERS REGISTERED. DEATHS. Caused by																													METEOROLOGY. (c) WEEK ENDED 18TH NOVEMBER, 1922. Air Temperature.					
COLS.	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)	(14)	(15)	(16)	(17)	(18)	(19)	(20)	(21)	(22)	(23)	(24)	(25)	(26)	(27)	(28)	(29)	(30)	(31)	(32)	(33)	(34)	(35)
TOTAL OF 12 TOWN DISTRICTS ...	662,256	18·9	25·0	15·6	0·8	317	198	24	64	.	.	.	2	1	1	.	.	2	26	5	14	11	29	6	.	11	12	80	5	.	.	.	.	.	.
DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA	427,000	30·5	27·0	15·0	0·7	221	123	13	43	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	2	10	4	10	10	19	5	.	9	11	58	1	(d)58·7	30·0	53·3	42·2	47·7	00·0
Urban Districts. CITY OF DUBLIN	327,000	40·0	28·4	14·5	0·8	178	91	12	30	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	2	8	3	8	8	15	4	.	6	8	48	1	(e)57·1 (f)60·2	38·9 32·2	53·0 53·9	46·0 43·9	49·5 48·9	0·00 0·01
Urban Districts. RATHMINES and RATHGAR ...	41,500	24·2	20·1	21·4	.	16	17	.	7	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	2	3	.	.	1	1	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Urban Districts. PEMBROKE ...	31,100	19·8	23·5	13·4	.	14	8	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	1	.	.	.	.	2	2	5	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Urban Districts. BLACKROCK ...	9,900	9·1	26·3	26·3	5·3	5	5	1	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Urban Districts. DÚN LAOGHAIRE	17,500	12·0	23·8	6·0	.	8	2	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	61	38	53·8	46·2	50·0	0·11
Urban Districts. CORK	76,673	28·6	19·7	12·2	.	29	18	1	6	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	6	.	1	.	2	.	.	.	.	8	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Urban Districts. LIMERICK ...	38,518	16·1	16·2	23·0	1·4	12	17	4	3	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	7	.	.	1	.	3	3	.	.	.	.	.	.
Urban Districts. WATERFORD ...	27,464	19·1	20·9	17·1	3·8	11	9	2	1	.	.	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	1	.	.	.	.	1	1	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Urban Districts. GALWAY	13,255	2·5	The annual rates represented by the numbers of births and deaths registered for these urban districts will be shown in the Quarterly Summary of the Weekly Returns.			10	5	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	55	39	53	44	48.5	0·31
Urban Districts. DUNDALK ...	13,128	9·5				9	4	2	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Urban Districts. DROGHEDA ...	12,501	8·4				4	3	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Urban Districts. WEXFORD ...	11,531	22·8				7	6	1	4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.
Urban Districts. SLIGO	11,163	2·8				2	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	55	40	53	45	49	0·16
Urban Districts. KILKENNY ...	10,514	11·4				1	4	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	3	.	57	31	52·8	42·2	47·5	0·00
Urban Districts. TRALEE ...	10,300	17·4				8	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Urban Districts. CLONMEL	10,209	4·8				3	7	.	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
BELFAST CITY	425,000	24·3	22·3	12·6	0·6	182	103	17	23	1	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	4	10	.	13	8	15	3	.	1	1	34	2	55·0	35·8	52·8	41·9	47·4	0·01
LONDONDERRY CITY ...	46,000	36·3	20·4	12·5	.	18	11	3	4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	2	1	.	.	.	.	2	1	.	.	.	.	.	.
LONDON	4,514,405	—	—	13·3	—	1,712	1,155	123	476	.	.	3	.	2	3	18	—	—	123	16	110	118	139	16	1	41	90	571	1	51	29	46·4	35·3	40·9	0·00
EDINBURGH	420,500	—	—	17·0	1·6	160	137	21	51	1	.	.	1	6	3	.	—	2	—	—	—	19		2	—	5	—	—	—	54·0	40·0	50·9	44·3	47·6	0·02
GLASGOW	1,037,800	—	—	15·0	0·9	504	298g	56	79	1	.	.	.	2	9	2	—	2	—	—	—	81		4	—	13	—	—	—	53·0	37·8	50·9	44·3	47·6	0·05

(a) According to the Census of 1911, but in the cases of the Dublin Registration Area and its component parts, and Belfast and Londonderry, the population given is that estimated to the middle of 1922. The estimate shown for London relates to the civil population in 1921. The population given for Glasgow and Edinburgh is that estimated to the middle of 1922. (b) See note (†) at foot of first page. (c) The observations shown for Cork were taken at Roche's Point, and those for Sligo at Markree. (d) Observations at Ordnance Survey Offices, Phœnix Park. (e) Observations by Sir John Moore, taken at Fitzwilliam Square. (f) Observations taken at the Botanic Gardens, Glasnevin. (g) Including one death from cerebro-spinal meningitis.

TABLE II.—Showing for the WEEK ENDED 18TH NOVEMBER, 1922, the number of DEATHS of Residents of the several REGISTRARS' DISTRICTS in the DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA, and in the CITY OF CORK, the annual rate per 1,000 of the Population of the respective Districts represented thereby, and by the Deaths from the principal Epidemic Diseases†; with the mortality from some of the principal causes; also the Deaths at certain age-periods, and the number of Uncertified Deaths, *the Deaths in Public Institutions being assigned to the Districts from which the deceased were admitted.*

WEEK ENDED SATURDAY, 18TH NOVEMBER, 1922.

REGISTRARS' DISTRICTS, &c.	Estimated Population middle of 1922.*	Annual Rate of Mortality per 1,000 Living represented by Deaths. From all causes	From certain Epidemic Diseases†	Total Deaths.	Under 1 year.	1 and under 2.	2 and under 5.	5 and under 15.	15 and under 25.	25 and under 45.	45 and under 65.	65 and upwards.	Enteric Fever.	Typhus.	Small-pox.	Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Whooping-cough.	Diphtheria.	Dysentery.	Influenza.	Tuberculosis. Pulmonary.	Tuberculosis. Other Forms.	Cancer.	Diseases of Respiratory System. Pneumonia.	Diseases of Respiratory System. Other.	Diarrhœa and Enteritis of Children under 2 years.	Diarrhœa, 2 years and upwards.	Violence.	Other Causes.	Inquest Cases.	In Institutions. In Hospitals, Prisons and Lunatic Asylums.	In Institutions. In Workhouse Hospitals.	Number of Uncertified Deaths.
COLS.	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)	(14)	(15)	(16)	(17)	(18)	(19)	(20)	(21)	(22)	(23)	(24)	(25)	(26)	(27)	(28)	(29)	(30)	(31)	(32)	(33)	34)
DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA.																																		
Dublin City Districts. North City, No. 1, E.	31,600	26·4	1·7	16	1	.	.	1	.	.	6	8	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	2	.	4	1	.	1	7	1	4	3	.
" 1, W.	43,300	16·9	.	14	1	.	.	.	3	2	3	5	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	3	1	2	1	3	.	.	1	3	1	5	5	.
" 2	29,000	9·0	1·8	5	1	.	1	.	.	.	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	2	2	4	1	.
" 3	35,900	16·0	.	11	1	.	.	1	.	1	5	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	4	1	.	.	.	6	.	3	3	.
CLONTARF AND HOWTH, No. 1, part of	5,800	27·0	.	3	.	.	.	.	2	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.
COOLOCK AND DRUMCONDRA, part of	14,300	14·6	3·6	4	1	.	.	.	.	.	1	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	1	1	1	1	.	.
FINGLAS AND GLASNEVIN, part of	11,700	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
SOUTH CITY, No. 1	45,300	11·5	.	10	2	.	.	.	.	2	3	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	1	1	.	.	1	5	1	3	.	.
" 2	19,100	16·4	2·7	6	3	.	.	1	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	.	1	.	1	2	1	3	.	.
" 3	45,600	12·6	1·1	11	2	1	1	.	.	1	3	3	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	1	2	2	.	.	1	4	.	4	1	.
" 4	34,500	10·6	.	7	.	.	.	.	.	2	1	4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	4	1	3	2	1
NEW KILMAINHAM	10,900	19·1	.	4	.	.	1	.	.	1	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	2	.	.	.	1	.	1	1	.
Urban Districts. RATHMINES AND RATHGAR	41,500	21·4	.	17	.	1	.	.	1	1	7	7	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	2	3	.	.	1	9	1	3	.	.
PEMBROKE	31,100	13·4	.	8	.	.	.	.	2	2	3	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	1	.	.	.	.	2	3	2	4	1	.
BLACKROCK	9,900	26·3	5·3	5	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	4	.	2	.	.
DÚN LAOGHAIRE	17,500	6·0	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.
Total City of Dublin	327,000	14·5	0·8	91	12	1	3	3	6	9	27	30	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	2	8	3	8	8	15	4	.	6	36	8	32	16	1
Total Urban Districts	100,000	16·7	0·5	32	1	2	.	.	3	3	10	13	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	1	2	2	4	1	.	3	17	3	9	1	.
Total Dublin Registration Area	427,000	15·0	0·7	123	13	3	3	3	9	12	37	43	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	2	10	4	10	10	19	5	.	9	53	11	41	17	1
Deaths relating to residents of localities situated outside the Registration Area (not included in above)				8	1	.	.	.	1	3	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	2	.	.	.	.	.	4	.	8	.	.
CITY OF CORK.																																		
Cork City Districts. CORK URBAN, No. 1	13,455	27·1	.	7	1	.	.	1	.	2	1	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	4	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	2	.	5	.	.
" 2	10,399	5·0	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.
" 3	9,793	16·0	.	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	2	.	1	.	.
" 4	9,139	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
" 5	6,250	16·7	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.
" 6	11,581	9·0	.	2	.	1	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
" 7	16,056	9·7	.	3	.	.	.	1	.	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	3	.	1	.	.
Total City of Cork	76,673	12·2	.	18	1	1		2		3	5	6	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	6	.	1	.	2	.	.	.	9	.	8		.

* The populations given for the City of Cork and its component parts are those according to the Census of 1911.

† See note (†) at foot of first page.

TABLE III.—Showing the NUMBER of CASES of INFECTIOUS DISEASES notified in the Dublin Registration Area (viz. :—the City of Dublin, and the Urban Districts of Rathmines and Rathgar, Pembroke, Blackrock and Dún Laoghaire), and in the Cities of Cork, Limerick, and Waterford, during the week ended 18th November, 1922, and each of the preceding three weeks, as furnished by the respective Sanitary Authorities. A dash (—) denotes that the disease in question is not notifiable in the District.

Cities and Urban Districts.	Week ending	Enteric Fever.	Typhus.	Pyrexia—Continued Fever.	Relapsing Fever.	Small-pox.	Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Whooping-cough.	Diphtheria (including Membranous Croup).	Erysipelas.	Puerperal Fever.	Diarrhœal Diseases.	Dysentery	Malaria.	Trench Fever	Acute Primary Pneumonia and Acute Influenzal Pneumonia.	Cerebro-spinal Fever	Acute Poliomyelitis	Encephalitis Lethargica.	Tuberculosis.	Total.
City of Dublin	Oct. 28	5	.	.	.	.	—	9	—	7	1	.	—	.	.	.	8	.	.	—	15	45
	Nov. 4	.	.	.	.	.	—	13	—	6	1	1	—	.	.	.	4	.	.	—	3	28
	Nov. 11	.	.	.	.	.	—	6	—	5	3	.	—	.	1	.	4	.	.	—	12	31
	Nov. 18	4	.	.	.	.	—	12	—	5	3	.	—	.	1	.	8	.	.	—	13	46
Rathmines & Rathgar Urban District	Oct. 28	.	.	.	.	.	—	1	—	1	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	2
	Nov. 4	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	.
	Nov. 11	.	.	.	.	.	—	1	—	.	1	.	—	.	.	.	1	.	.	—	—	3
	Nov. 18	.	.	.	.	.	—	6	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	1	.	.	—	—	7
Pembroke Urban District	Oct. 28	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.
	Nov. 4	1	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	1	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	4
	Nov. 11	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.
	Nov. 18	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.
Blackrock Urban District	Oct. 28	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.
	Nov. 4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.
	Nov. 11	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.
	Nov. 18	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.
Dún Laoghaire Urban District	Oct. 28	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.
	Nov. 4	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.
	Nov. 11	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	1	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	1
	Nov. 18	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.
City of Cork	Oct. 28	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	—	3
	Nov. 4	.	.	.	.	.	.	8	—	14	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	—	22
	Nov. 11	.	.	.	.	.	.	3	—	7	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	—	10
	Nov. 18	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	—	12	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	—	14
City of Limerick	Oct. 28	.	.	.	.	.	—	2	—	4	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	6
	Nov. 4	.	.	.	.	.	—	1	—	1	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	2
	Nov. 11	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	6	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	6
	Nov. 18	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	.
City of Waterford	Oct. 28	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	.	.
	Nov. 4	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	.	.
	Nov. 11	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	.	.
	Nov. 18	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	.	.

TABLE IV.—Showing the NUMBER of CASES of the undermentioned DISEASES treated in Dublin Hospitals during the week ended Saturday, 18th November, 1922, with the number under treatment at the close of each of the last four weeks.

Diseases	No. of Cases in Hospital at close of week ended			Week ended 18th November			
	Oct. 28	Nov. 4	Nov. 11	No. admitted.	Dis-charged.	Died.	No. under treatment at close of week.
Enteric Fever, ...	15	17	20	2	4	.	18
Typhus, ...	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Small-pox, ...	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Measles, ...	2	4	3	.	3	.	.
Scarlet Fever, ...	56	60	63	27	7	.	83*
Diphtheria, ...	40	46	46	15	6	.	55
Pneumonia, ...	24	23	24	11	6	.	29

* Exclusive of 20 patients in "Beneavin," the Convalescent Home of Cork Street Fever Hospital.

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TWELVE TOWN DISTRICTS.

The Births and Deaths * registered in the Dublin Registration Area and in eleven provincial Urban Districts of the Irish Free State, with the annual rates per 1,000 of the population represented thereby, which, for the purposes of these Returns, is estimated at 662,256, are given in Table I. The deaths from all causes appertaining to the undermentioned areas for last week and for the past four weeks, respectively, were equal to the following annual rates per 1,000 of the population:—

Twelve Town Districts,‡ 14·8 and 15·0; Dublin Registration Area, 15·0 and 15·0; Dublin City, 15·0 and 15·1; Cork, 16·3 and 13·2; Limerick, 23·0 and 19·3; and Waterford, 11·4 and 18·0.

The deaths* from certain epidemic diseases† registered in the 12 town districts‡ during last week were equal to an annual rate of 0·5 per 1,000.

DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA.

In the Dublin Registration Area the total number of births registered during the week amounted to 210—109 boys and 101 girls—and the deaths to 137—77 males and 60 females.

The deaths registered, omitting the deaths (numbering 14) of persons admitted to public institutions from localities outside the Dublin Registration Area, represent an annual rate of mortality of 15·0 per 1,000 of the population. During the forty-seven weeks ending with Saturday last, the death-rate averaged 17·2 and was 3·0 below the mean rate for the corresponding portion of the ten years, 1912-1921. The rate for all deaths registered during the forty-seven weeks was 18·7 and for the corresponding period of the preceding ten years 21·7.

Included in the 123 deaths appertaining to the Area are one from diphtheria, 5 from diarrhœa and enteritis of children under 2 years and 2 from influenza. In the three preceding weeks deaths from diarrhœa and enteritis of children under 2 years were 6, 5, and 5; and deaths from influenza 2, one, and 2. There were no deaths from diphtheria registered in the three preceding weeks.

There were 13 deaths from pneumonia, comprising 4 from broncho-pneumonia, 2 from lobar pneumonia, and 7 from pneumonia (not otherwise defined).

Tuberculous disease caused 11 deaths (including 8 from pulmonary tuberculosis, one from tuberculous meningitis, and 2 from other forms of tuberculosis), as against 12, 12, and 14 from all forms of tuberculous disease in the three weeks preceding.

Seven deaths were caused by cancer, 10 by organic diseases of the heart, and 17 by bronchitis.

Nine accidental deaths were registered, of which 2 were caused by drowning, and 4 by high explosive; there were 3 cases of homicide.

Among deaths of infants under one year old, 4 were due to convulsions, 5 to bronchitis, 3 to pneumonia, 5 to diarrhœa and enteritis, 6 to premature birth, and 2 to congenital debility.

Thirty-one of the deaths registered during the week, appertaining to the Area, were those of children under 5 years of age, 24 being infants under one year, of whom 11 were under one month old, and 36 deaths were those of persons aged 65 and upwards, of whom 27 were 70 years of age or over.

Of the 123 deaths recorded, 51 occurred in hospitals and other public institutions.

ENGLAND AND SCOTLAND.

The mortality among civilians for the week ended 25th November, in 105 large English towns (including London in which the rate was 14·3) was equal to an average annual death rate of 12·6 per 1,000 of the estimated civil population.

The average death rate for 16 principal towns of Scotland was 14·6 per 1,000 persons living, the rate for Glasgow being 15·9 and for Edinburgh 14·0.

* Exclusive of the deaths of persons admitted into public institutions from without the respective districts.

† Enteric fever, typhus, small-pox, measles, scarlet fever, whooping-cough, diphtheria, dysentery, and diarrhœal diseases.

‡ See Note (*g*) Table I.

TABLE I.—BIRTHS and DEATHS registered during the week ended Saturday, 25th NOVEMBER, 1922, in the DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA, in each of the under-mentioned 11 CITIES OR URBAN DISTRICTS, and in BELFAST and LONDONDERRY CITIES (*exclusive of Births and Deaths in Public Institutions relating to Persons admitted from other Districts*), the Number of Deaths from some of the PRINCIPAL CAUSES, and the Number of Uncertified Deaths with the Temperature and Rainfall for the week; also particulars regarding Births, Deaths and Meteorology in London, Edinburgh, and Glasgow.

TOWNS AND DISTRICTS.	POPULATION. Total (a)	Persons to an Acre.	Annual Rate per 1,000 Persons Represented by BIRTHS.	DEATHS. From all Causes.	DEATHS. From certain Epidemic Diseases. (b)	REGISTRATION—WEEK ENDED SATURDAY, 25th NOVEMBER, 1922. NUMBERS REGISTERED. BIRTHS. Total Number.	DEATHS. Total Number.	Under 1 year of Age.	At 65 years and upwards.	Caused by: Enteric Fever.	Typhus.	Small-pox.	Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Whooping-cough.	Diphtheria.	Dysentery.	Influenza.	Tuberculosis. Pulmonary.	Tuberculosis. Other Forms.	Cancer.	Diseases of the Respiratory System. Pneumonia.	Diseases of the Respiratory System. Other.	Diarrhœa and Enteritis of children under 2 years of age.	Diarrhœa, 2 years of age and upwards.	Violence.	Inquest Cases.	No. of Deaths in Public Institutions.	Number of Uncertified Deaths.	METEOROLOGY. (c) WEEK ENDED 25TH NOVEMBER, 1922. Air Temperature. Absolute Highest.	Absolute Lowest.	Mean Maximum (A).	Mean Minimum (B).	Mean of (A) and (B).	Rainfall in Inches.
COLS.	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)	(14)	(15)	(16)	(17)	(18)	(19)	(20)	(21)	(22)	(23)	(24)	(25)	(26)	(27)	(28)	(29)	(30)	(31)	(32)	(33)	(34)	(35)
TOTAL OF 12 TOWN DISTRICTS (g) ...	662,256	18·9	21·1	14·8	0·5	268	188	32	57	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	2	11	3	11	20	24	5	.	18	12	73	9	.	.	.	.	.	.
DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA	427,000	30·5	23·4	15·0	0·7	192	123	24	36	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	2	8	3	7	13	18	5	.	12	12	51	2	(d)53·0	23·6	50·0	38·9	44·4	0·02
Urban Districts. CITY OF DUBLIN	327,000	40·0	23·9	15·0	0·6	150	94	18	26	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	2	7	3	5	9	16	3	.	8	8	44	1	(e)51·2 (f)54·0	32·2 27·0	49·5 50·6	42·8 40·6	46·2 45·6	0·03 0·04
Urban Districts. RATHMINES and RATHGAR ...	41,500	24·2	13·8	12·6	1·3	11	10	1	5	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	1	.	1	.	.	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Urban Districts. PEMBROKE ...	31,100	19·8	25·1	11·7	1·7	15	7	2	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	2	1	1	.	.	.	4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Urban Districts. BLACKROCK ...	9,900	9·1	26·3	15·8	.	5	3	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.
Urban Districts. DÚN LAOGHAIRE	17,500	12·0	32·8	26·8	.	11	9	2	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	.	4	4	.	.	52	32	50·7	42·4	46·5	0·00
Urban Districts. CORK	76,673	28·6	22·4	16·3	.	33	24	4	7	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	2	1	.	.	5	.	8	2	.	.	.	.	.	.
Urban Districts. LIMERICK ...	38,518	16·1	19·0	23·0	.	14	17	3	6	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	3	.	.	.	.	8	1	.	.	.	.	.	.
Urban Districts. WATERFORD ...	27,464	19·1	17·1	11·4	.	9	6	1	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Urban Districts. GALWAY	13,255	2·5	The annual rates represented by the numbers of births and deaths registered for these urban districts will be shown in the Quarterly Summary of the Weekly Returns.			4	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	1	53	30	51	41	46	0·24
Urban Districts. DUNDALK ...	13,128	9·5				2	2	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Urban Districts. DROGHEDA ...	12,501	8·4				2	2	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.
Urban Districts. WEXFORD ...	11,531	22·8				4	7	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	3	1	.	.	.	.	2	1	.	.	.	.	.	.
Urban Districts. SLIGO	11,163	2·8				5	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	54	28	51	39	45	0·04
Urban Districts. KILKENNY ...	10,514	11·4				2	2	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	51	25	48·5	39·0	43·7	0·02
Urban Districts. TRALEE ...	10,300	17·4				1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Urban Districts. CLONMEL	10,209	4·8				.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
BELFAST CITY	425,000	24·5	28·7	13·7	0·7	234	112	18	23	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	2	12	6	9	15	8	4	.	3	3	40	2	54·5	37·5	50·9	42·3	46·6	0·00
LONDONDERRY CITY ...	46,000	36·3	29·5	17·0	.	26	15	4	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	4	1	.	.	.	.	4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
LONDON	4,514,405	—	—	14·3	—	1,718	1,240	131	499	.	.	1	1	6	5	13	—	—	96	15	124	154	172	16	6	29	89	570	.	49	29	46·3	38·9	42·6	0·00
EDINBURGH	420,500	—	—	14·0	0·7	141	113	11	45	1	.	.	.	2	3	.	—	5	—	—	—	17		.	—	8	—	—	—	51·0	28·0	47·6	38·6	43·1	0·18
GLASGOW	1,037,800	—	—	15·9	1·0	509	316	61	87	1	.	.	.	3	9	4	—	4	—	—	—	82		3	—	14	—	—	—	50·4	31·0	47·4	36·5	42·0	0·18

(a) According to the Census of 1911, but in the cases of the Dublin Registration Area and its component parts, and Belfast and Londonderry, the population given is that estimated to the middle of 1922. The estimate shown for London relates to the civil population in 1921. The population given for Glasgow and Edinburgh is that estimated to the middle of 1922. (b) See note (†) at foot of first page. (c) The observations shown for Cork were taken at Roche's Point, and those for Sligo at Markree. (d) Observations at Ordnance Survey Offices, Phœnix Park (e) Observations by Sir John Moore, taken at Fitzwilliam Square. (f) Observations taken at the Botanic Gardens, Glasnevin. (g) Exclusive of Tralee, No. 2. district, the return for which has not been received.

TABLE II.—Showing for the WEEK ENDED 25TH NOVEMBER, 1922, the number of DEATHS of Residents of the several REGISTRARS' DISTRICTS in the DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA, and in the CITY OF CORK, the annual Rate per 1,000 of the Population of the respective Districts represented thereby, and by the Deaths from the principal Epidemic Diseases†; with the mortality from some of the principal causes; also the Deaths at certain age-periods, and the number of Uncertified Deaths, *the Deaths in Public Institutions being assigned to the Districts from which the deceased were admitted.*

WEEK ENDED SATURDAY, 25TH NOVEMBER, 1922.

REGISTRARS' DISTRICTS, &c.	Estimated Population middle of 1922.*	Annual Rate of Mortality per 1,000 Living represented by Deaths. From all causes	From certain Epidemic Diseases†	Total Deaths.	Under 1 year.	1 and under 2.	2 and under 5.	5 and under 15.	15 and under 25.	25 and under 45.	45 and under 65.	65 and upwards.	Enteric Fever.	Typhus.	Small-pox.	Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Whooping-cough.	Diphtheria.	Dysentery.	Influenza.	Tuberculosis. Pulmonary.	Tuberculosis. Other Forms.	Cancer.	Diseases of Respiratory System. Pneumonia.	Diseases of Respiratory System. Other.	Diarrhœa and Enteritis of Children under 2 years.	Diarrhœa, 2 years and upwards.	Violence.	Other Causes.	Inquest Cases.	In Institutions. In Hospitals, Prisons and Lunatic Asylums.	In Institutions. In Workhouse Hospitals.	Number of Uncertified Deaths.
Cols.	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)	(14)	(15)	(16)	(17)	(18)	(19)	(20)	(21)	(22)	(23)	(24)	(25)	(26)	(27)	(28)	(29)	(30)	(31)	(32)	(33)	(34)
DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA.																																		
Dublin City Districts. North City, No. 1, E.	31,600	19·8	1·7	12	3	.	.	.	1	2	1	5	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	2	5	1	.	.	2	.	2	1	.
,, 1, W.	43,300	18·1	.	15	3	1	.	1	2	2	1	5	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	1	2	.	3	.	.	.	.	7	.	7	1	.
,, 2	29,000	12·6	.	7	2	.	.	.	1	1	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	2	.	.	1	3	1	1	1	.
,, 3	35,900	13·1	1·5	9	1	1	.	.	2	2	1	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	1	2	1	.	.	2	2	2	4	.	.
Clontarf and Howth, No. 1, part of	5,800	18·0	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	.	.
Coolock and Drumcondra, part of	14,300	7·3	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	1	.
Finglas and Glasnevin, part of	11,700	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
South City, No. 1	45,300	11·5	1·2	10	3	.	.	.	1	.	3	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	1	.	.	7	.	1	3	.
,, 2	19,100	16·4	.	6	.	.	.	.	.	2	4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	3	.	.	1	.	1	2	3	.
,, 3	45,600	20·6	.	18	4	.	1	1	1	1	4	6	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	1	.	2	.	.	1	12	1	6	2	1
,, 4	34,500	15·1	1·5	10	2	2	1	.	.	1	2	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	1	1	2	1	.	1	2	1	4	2	.
New Kilmainham	10,900	14·4	.	3	.	.	.	.	2	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	1	2	2	1	.
Urban Districts. Rathmines and Rathgar	41,500	12·6	1·3	10	1	.	.	.	.	2	2	5	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	1	.	1	.	.	6	.	2	.	.
Pembroke	31,100	11·7	1·7	7	2	1	.	.	.	1	.	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	2	1	1	.	.	2	.	4	.	.
Blackrock	9,900	15·8	.	3	1	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	3	.	1	.	1
Dún Laoghaire	17,500	26·8	.	9	2	.	.	1	1	3	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	.	4	3	4	.	.	.
Total City of Dublin	327,000	15·0	0·6	94	18	4	2	2	10	11	21	26	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	2	7	3	5	9	16	3	.	8	40	8	29	15	1
Total Urban Districts	100,000	15·1	1·0	29	6	1	.	1	1	6	4	10	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	2	4	2	2	.	4	14	4	7	.	1
Total Dublin Registration Area	427,000	15·0	0·7	123	24	5	2	3	11	17	25	36	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	2	8	3	7	13	18	5	.	12	54	12	36	15	2
Deaths relating to residents of localities situated outside the Registration Area (not included in above)				14	4	.	.	.	2	2	6	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	1	.	.	.	2	10	2	14	.	.
CITY OF CORK.																																		
Cork City Districts. Cork Urban, No. 1	13,455	19·4	.	5	.	1		.		.	1	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	3	.	3		.
,, 2	10,399	15·0	.	3	1	.		1		1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	1	.	1		.
,, 3	9,793	16·0	.	3	.	.		.		.	2	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	2	.	1		.
,, 4	9,139	22·8	.	4	.	.		1		1	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	2	.	3		.
,, 5	6,250	33·4	.	4	2	1		.		.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	3	.	.		.
,, 6	11,581	9·0	.	2	.	1		.		.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	.		1
,, 7	16,056	9·7	.	3	1	.		.		.	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	2	.	.		1
Total City of Cork	76,673	16·3	.	24	4	3		2		2	6	7	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	2		.	.	5	14	.	8		2

* The populations given for the City of Cork and its component parts are those according to the Census of 1911.

† See note (†) at foot of first page.

TABLE III.—Showing the NUMBER of CASES of INFECTIOUS DISEASES notified in the Dublin Registration Area (viz.:—the City of Dublin, and the Urban Districts of Rathmines and Rathgar, Pembroke, Blackrock and Dún Laoghaire), and in the Cities of Cork, Limerick, and Waterford, during the week ended 25th November, 1922, and each of the preceding three weeks, as furnished by the respective Sanitary Authorities. A dash (—) denotes that the disease in question is not notifiable in the District.

Cities and Urban Districts.	Week ending	Enteric Fever.	Typhus.	Pyrexia—Continued Fever.	Relapsing Fever.	Small-pox.	Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Whooping-cough.	Diphtheria (including Membranous Croup).	Erysipelas.	Puerperal Fever.	Diarrhœal Diseases.	Dysentery.	Malaria	Trench Fever.	Acute Primary Pneumonia and Acute Influenzal Pneumonia	Cerebro-spinal Fever	Acute Poliomyelitis.	Encephalitis Lethargica	Tuberculosis.	Total.
City of Dublin	Nov 4	.	.	.	.	.	—	13	—	6	1	1	—	.	.	.	4	.	.	—	3	28
	Nov. 11	.	.	.	.	.	—	6	—	5	3	.	—	.	1	.	4	.	.	—	12	31
	Nov. 18	4	.	.	.	.	—	12	—	5	3	.	—	.	1	.	8	.	.	—	13	46
	Nov. 25	.	.	.	.	.	—	6	—	5	5	1	—	.	.	.	5	.	.	—	7	29
Rathmines & Rathgar Urban District	Nov. 4	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	.
	Nov. 11	.	.	.	.	.	—	1	—	.	1	.	—	.	.	.	1	.	.	—	—	3
	Nov. 18	.	.	.	.	.	—	6	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	1	.	.	—	—	7
	Nov. 25	.	.	.	.	.	—	3	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	1	.	.	—	—	4
Pembroke Urban District	Nov. 4	1	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	1	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	4
	Nov. 11	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.
	Nov. 18	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.
	Nov. 25	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	2
Blackrock Urban District	Nov. 4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.
	Nov. 11	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.
	Nov. 18	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.
	Nov. 25	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.
Dún Laoghaire Urban District	Nov. 4	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.
	Nov. 11	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	1	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	1
	Nov. 18	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.
	Nov. 25	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.
City of Cork	Nov. 4	.	.	.	.	.	.	8	—	14	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	—	22
	Nov. 11	.	.	.	.	.	.	3	—	7	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	—	10
	Nov. 18	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	—	12	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	—	14
	Nov. 25	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	—	4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	—	5
City of Limerick	Nov. 4	.	.	.	.	.	—	1	—	1	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	2
	Nov. 11	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	6	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	6
	Nov. 18	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	.
	Nov. 25	.	.	.	.	.	—	2	—	5	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	7
City of Waterford	Nov. 4	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	.	.
	Nov. 11	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	.	.
	Nov. 18	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	.	.
	Nov. 25	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	.	.

TABLE IV.—Showing the NUMBER of CASES of the undermentioned DISEASES treated in Dublin Hospitals during the week ended Saturday, 25th November, 1922, with the number under treatment at the close of each of the last four weeks.

Diseases	No. of Cases in Hospital at close of week ended			Week ended 25th November			
	Nov. 4	Nov. 11	Nov. 18	No. admitted.	Discharged	Died.	No. under treatment at close of week.
Enteric Fever, ...	17	20	18	2	.	.	20
Typhus, ...	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Small-pox, ...	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Measles, ...	4	3	.	.	.	.	.
Scarlet Fever, ...	60	63	83	10	5	.	88*
Diphtheria, ...	46	46	55	4	12	.	47
Pneumonia, ...	23	24	29	5	7	1	26

* Exclusive of 14 patients in "Beneavin," the Convalescent Home of Cork Street Fever Hospital.

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TWELVE TOWN DISTRICTS.

The Births and Deaths * registered in the Dublin Registration Area and in eleven provincial Urban Districts of the Irish Free State, with the annual rates per 1,000 of the population represented thereby, which, for the purposes of these Returns, is estimated at 662,256, are given in Table I. The deaths from all causes appertaining to the undermentioned areas for last week and for the past four weeks, respectively, were equal to the following annual rates per 1,000 of the population :—

Twelve Town Districts, 14·6 and 15·1; Dublin Registration Area, 15 4 and 15·2; Dublin City, 15·8 and 15·5; Cork, 8·2 and 12·2; Limerick, 14·9 and 19·6; and Waterford, 20·9 and 17·1.

The deaths* from certain epidemic diseases† registered in the 12 town districts during last week were equal to an annual rate of 0·5 per 1,000.

DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA.

In the Dublin Registration Area the total number of births registered during the week amounted to 215—126 boys and 89 girls—and the deaths to 133—78 males and 55 females.

The deaths registered, omitting the deaths (numbering 7) of persons admitted to public institutions from localities outside the Dublin Registration Area, represent an annual rate of mortality of 15·4 per 1,000 of the population. During the forty-eight weeks ending with Saturday last, the death-rate averaged 17·1 and was 3·1 below the mean rate for the corresponding portion of the ten years, 1912-1921. The rate for all deaths registered during the forty-eight weeks was 18·6 and for the corresponding period of the preceding ten years 21·7.

Included in the 126 deaths appertaining to the Area are one from diphtheria, one from dysentery, 4 from diarrhœa and enteritis of children under 2 years, one from influenza and one from encephalitis lethargica. In the three preceding weeks deaths from diphtheria were 0, 0, and one; deaths from diarrhœa and enteritis of children under 2 years 5, 5, and 5; and deaths from influenza one, 2, and 2. There were no deaths from dysentery registered in the three preceding weeks.

There were 16 deaths from pneumonia, comprising 9 from broncho-pneumonia, one from lobar pneumonia, and 6 from pneumonia (not otherwise defined).

Tuberculous disease caused 12 deaths (including 10 from pulmonary tuberculosis, one from tuberculous meningitis, and one from tuberculosis of the vertebral column), as against 12, 14, and 11 from all forms of tuberculous disease in the three weeks preceding.

Two deaths were caused by cancer, 17 by organic diseases of the heart, and 18 by bronchitis.

Three deaths caused by burns were registered, and there were 2 cases of homicide.

Among deaths of infants under one year old, 3 were due to convulsions, 4 to bronchitis, 6 to broncho-pneumonia, 3 to pneumonia, 4 to diarrhœa and enteritis, 2 to congenital malformations, one to premature birth, and 2 to congenital debility.

Thirty-five of the deaths registered during the week, appertaining to the Area, were those of children under 5 years of age, 26 being infants under one year, of whom 7 were under one month old, and 37 deaths were those of persons aged 65 and upwards, of whom 31 were 70 years of age or over.

Of the 126 deaths recorded, 51 occurred in hospitals and other public institutions.

ENGLAND AND SCOTLAND.

The mortality among civilians for the week ended 2nd December, in 105 large English towns (including London in which the rate was 13·0) was equal to an average annual death rate of 12·6 per 1,000 of the estimated civil population.

The average death-rate for 16 principal towns of Scotland was 15·3 per 1,000 persons living, the rate for Glasgow being 16·2 and for Edinburgh 11·9.

* Exclusive of the deaths of persons admitted into public institutions from without the respective districts.

† Enteric fever, typhus, small-pox, measles, scarlet fever, whooping-cough, diphtheria, dysentery, and diarrhœal diseases.

TABLE I.—BIRTHS and DEATHS registered during the week ended Saturday, 2nd DECEMBER, 1922, in the DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA, in each of the under-mentioned 11 CITIES OR URBAN DISTRICTS, and in BELFAST and LONDONDERRY CITIES (*exclusive of Births and Deaths in Public Institutions relating to Persons admitted from other Districts*), the Number of Deaths from some of the PRINCIPAL CAUSES, and the Number of Uncertified Deaths with the Temperature and Rainfall for the week; also particulars regarding Births, Deaths and Meteorology in London, Edinburgh, and Glasgow.

TOWNS AND DISTRICTS.	POPULATION. Total (a)	Persons to an Acre.	Annual Rate per 1,000 Persons Represented by BIRTHS.	DEATHS. From all Causes.	DEATHS. From certain Epidemic Diseases. (b)	BIRTHS Total Number	DEATHS. Total Number	Under 1 year of Age.	At 65 years and upwards.	Enteric Fever.	Typhus.	Small-pox.	Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Whooping-cough.	Diphtheria.	Dysentery.	Influenza.	Tuberculosis. Pulmonary.	Tuberculosis. Other Forms.	Cancer.	Diseases of the Respiratory System. Pneumonia.	Diseases of the Respiratory System. Other.	Diarrhœa and Enteritis of children under 2 years of age.	Diarrhœa, 2 years of age and upwards.	Violence.	Inquest Cases.	No. of Deaths in Public Institutions.	Number of Uncertified Deaths.	METEOROLOGY. (c) Week ended 2nd December, 1922. Air Temperature. Absolute Highest.	Absolute Lowest.	Mean Maximum (A).	Mean Minimum (B).	Mean of (A) and (B).	Rainfall in Inches.
COLS.	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)	(14)	(15)	(16)	(17)	(18)	(19)	(20)	(21)	(22)	(23)	(24)	(25)	(26)	(27)	(28)	(29)	(30)	(31)	(32)	(33)	(34)	(35)
TOTAL OF 12 TOWN DISTRICTS (g) ...	662,256	18·9	23·5	14·6	0·5	299	185	30	52	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	3	15	2	8	21	32	4	.	6	3	68	10	.	.	.	.	.	.
DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA	427,000	30·5	25·2	15·4	0·7	206	126	26	37	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	1	10	2	2	16	21	4	.	5	3	51	4	(d)52·6	38·4	50·7	40·7	45·7	0·07
Urban Districts. CITY OF DUBLIN	327,000	40·0	27·9	15·8	0·6	175	99	22	23	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	1	9	2	1	15	15	2	.	5	3	46	3	(e)51·7 (f)52·6	42·7 40·0	50·3 51·0	43·8 42·6	47·1 46·8	0·03 0·05
Urban Districts. RATHMINES and RATHGAR ...	41,500	24·2	15·1	15·1	1·3	12	12	3	5	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	1	.	.	.	3	1	.	.	.	.	.	.
Urban Districts. PEMBROKE ...	31,100	19·8	15·1	16·8	1·7	9	10	1	5	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	2	1	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Urban Districts. BLACKROCK ...	9,900	9·1	10·5	.	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Urban Districts. DÚN LAOGHAIRE	17,500	12·0	23·8	14·9	.	8	5	.	4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	3	.	.	.	.	1	.	53	34	50·4	42·4	46·4	0·01
Urban Districts. CORK	76,673	28·6	21·1	8·2	.	31	12	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	3	.	3	.	.	.	.	1	.	5	1	.	.	.	.	.	.
Urban Districts. LIMERICK ...	38,518	16·1	24·4	14·9	.	18	11	1	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	1	1	5	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.
Urban Districts. WATERFORD ...	27,464	19·1	17·1	20·9	.	9	11	.	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	1	3	.	.	.	.	5	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Urban Districts. GALWAY	13,255	2·5	The annual rates represented by the numbers of births and deaths registered for these urban districts will be shown in the Quarterly Summary of the Weekly Returns.			3	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Urban Districts. DUNDALK ...	13,128	9·5				10	3	1	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Urban Districts. DROGHEDA ...	12,501	8·4				8	2	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Urban Districts. WEXFORD ...	11,531	22·8				2	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Urban Districts. SLIGO	11,163	2·8				4	7	1	4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	3	3	53	35	52	41	46·5	0·30
Urban Districts. KILKENNY ...	10,514	11·4				.	2	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	52	26	50·1	39·4	44·7	0·07
Urban Districts. TRALEE ...	10,300	17·4				2	5	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Urban Districts. CLONMEL ...	10,209	4·8				6	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
BELFAST CITY	425,000	24·3	22·8	12·3	0·7	186	100	16	26	.	.	.	.	.	.	3	.	.	9	2	6	8	11	3	.	2	3	25	.	54·5	27·5	52·3	38·2	45·2	0·29
LONDONDERRY CITY ...	46,000	36·3	22·7	13·6	1·1	20	12	5	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	6	1	1	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.
LONDON	4,514,405	—	—	13·0	—	1,655	1,129	149	435	.	.	.	.	2	5	21	—	—	95	8	121	106	162	14	2	45	97	534	1	54	31	49·3	38·3	43·8	0·26
EDINBURGH	420,500	—	—	11·9	0·5	142	96	12	39	.	.	.	.	.	.	3	—	2	—	—	—	15		1	—	6	—	—	—	52·0	33·0	48·9	40·4	44·6	0·10
GLASGOW	1,037,800	—	—	16·2	1·3	525	323g	81	72	1	.	.	.	2	10	7	—	4	—	—	—	86		5	—	8	—	—	—	53·2	35·0	49·5	41·0	45·2	0·30

(a) According to the Census of 1911, but in the cases of the Dublin Registration Area and its component parts, and Belfast and Londonderry, the population given is that estimated to the middle of 1922. The estimate shown for London relates to the civil population in 1921. The population given for Glasgow and Edinburgh is that estimated to the middle of 1922. (b) See note (†) at foot of first page. (c) The observations shown for Cork were taken at Roche's Point, and those for Sligo at Markree. (d) Observations at Ordnance Survey Offices, Phœnix Park. (e) Observations by Sir John Moore, taken at Fitzwilliam Square. (f) Observations taken at the Botanic Gardens, Glasnevin. (g) Including 2 deaths from cerebro-spinal meningitis.

TABLE II.—Showing for the WEEK ENDED 2ND DECEMBER, 1922, the number of DEATHS of Residents of the several REGISTRARS' DISTRICTS in the DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA, and in the CITY OF CORK, the annual Rate per 1,000 of the Population of the respective Districts represented thereby, and by the Deaths from the principal Epidemic Diseases†; with the mortality from some of the principal causes; also the Deaths at certain age-periods, and the number of Uncertified Deaths, *the Deaths in Public Institutions being assigned to the Districts from which the deceased were admitted.*

WEEK ENDED SATURDAY, 2ND DECEMBER, 1922.

REGISTRARS' DISTRICTS, &c.	Estimated Population middle of 1922.*	Annual Rate of Mortality per 1,000 Living represented by Deaths. From all causes	From certain Epidemic Diseases†	Total Deaths.	DEATHS. Under 1 year.	1 and under 2.	2 and under 5.	5 and under 15.	15 and under 25.	25 and under 45.	45 and under 65.	65 and upwards.	Caused by: Enteric Fever.	Typhus.	Small-pox.	Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Whooping-cough.	Diphtheria.	Dysentery.	Influenza.	Tuberculosis. Pulmonary.	Tuberculosis. Other Forms.	Cancer.	Diseases of Respiratory System. Pneumonia.	Diseases of Respiratory System. Other.	Diarrhœa and Enteritis of Children under 2 years.	Diarrhœa, 2 years and upwards.	Violence.	Other Causes.	Inquest Cases.	In Institutions. In Hospitals, Prisons and Lunatic Asylums.	In Institutions. In Workhouse Hospitals.	Number of Uncertified Deaths.
Cols.	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)	(14)	(15)	(16)	(17)	(18)	(19)	(20)	(21)	(22)	(23)	(24)	(25)	(26)	(27)	(28)	(29)	(30)	(31)	(32)	(33)	34)
DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA.																																		
Dublin City Districts. North City, No. 1, E.	31,600	18·2	.	11	3	1	.	1	1	.	2	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	3	.	.	.	1	6	.	3	2	.
" 1, W.	43,300	22·9	.	19	6	.	1	1	1	3	3	4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	6	3	.	.	1	7	1	5	2	.
" 2	29,000	18·0	.	10	2	1	1	1	1	1	2	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	2	.	.	.	.	6	.	5	1	.
" 3	35,900	11·6	2·9	8	2	.	.	1	1	1	1	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	1	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	4	.	3	1	1
Clontarf and Howth, No. 1, part of	5,800	9·0	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.
Coolock and Drumcondra, part of	14,300	18·2	3·6	5	1	.	.	.	.	1	2	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	1	.	.	2	.	1	1	.
Finglas and Glasnevin, part of	11,700	13·4	.	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	.	.
South City, No. 1	45,300	11·5	.	10	.	1	.	.	3	1	4	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	3	.	.	.	2	.	.	.	5	.	6	.	1
" 2	19,100	21·8	.	8	2	.	1	.	1	.	1	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	2	2	.	.	1	2	1	1	1	.
" 3	45,600	18·3	1·1	16	6	.	1	1	.	1	3	4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	1	4	1	.	1	7	.	7	2	1
" 4	34,500	10·6	.	7	.	.	2	1	2	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	5	1	4	.	.
New Kilmainham	10,900	4·8	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.
Urban Districts. Rathmines and Rathgar	41,500	15·1	1·3	12	3	.	.	1	.	2	1	5	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	1	.	.	9	.	3	.	1
Pembroke	31,100	16·8	1·7	10	1	.	.	.	1	1	2	5	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	2	1	.	.	6	.	1	.	.
Blackrock	9,900	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Dún Laoghaire	17,500	14·9	.	5	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	3	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.
Total City of Dublin	327,000	15·8	0·6	99	22	3	6	6	10	10	19	23	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	1	9	2	1	15	15	2	.	5	47	3	35	11	3
Total Urban Districts	100,000	14·1	1·0	27	4	.	.	1	1	3	4	14	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	1	6	2	.	.	16	.	5	.	1
Total Dublin Registration Area	427,000	15·4	0·7	126	26	3	6	7	11	13	23	37	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	1	10	2	2	16	21	4	.	5	63	3	40	11	4
Deaths relating to residents of localities situated outside the Registration Area (not included in above)				7	.	.	.	1	.	3	2	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	5	.	7	.	1
CITY OF CORK.																																		
Cork City Districts. Cork Urban, No. 1	13,455	11·6	.	3	.		.	1		1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1		1
" 2	10,399	10·0	.	2	.		.	.		1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1		.
" 3	9.793	5·3	.	1	.		.	.		.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1		.
" 4	9,139	22·8	.	4	.		1	.		1	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	3	.	1		.
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" 6	11,581	4·5	.	1	.		.	.		1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.		.
" 7	16,056	3·2	.	1	.		.	.		.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1		.
Total City of Cork	76,673	8·2	.	12	.		1	1		4	4	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	3	.	3	.	.	.	.	1	5	.	5		1

* The populations given for the City of Cork and its component parts are those according to the Census of 1911.

† See note (†) at foot of first page.

TABLE III.—Showing the NUMBER of CASES of INFECTIOUS DISEASES notified in the Dublin Registration Area (viz. :—the City of Dublin, and the Urban Districts of Rathmines and Rathgar, Pembroke, Blackrock and Dún Laoghaire), and in the Cities of Cork, Limerick, and Waterford, during the week ended 2nd December, 1922, and each of the preceding three weeks, as furnished by the respective Sanitary Authorities. A dash (—) denotes that the disease in question is not notifiable in the District.

Cities and Urban Districts.	Week ending	Enteric Fever.	Typhus.	Pyrexia—Continued Fever.	Relapsing Fever.	Small-pox.	Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Whooping-cough.	Diphtheria (including Membranous Croup).	Erysipelas.	Puerperal Fever.	Diarrhœal Diseases.	Dysentery	Malaria	Trench Fever	Acute Primary Pneumonia and Acute Influenzal Pneumonia	Cerebro-spinal Fever	Acute Poliomyelitis.	Varicella	Tuberculosis.	Total.
City of Dublin	Nov. 11	.	.	.	.	.	—	6	—	5	3	.	—	.	1	.	4	.	.	—	12	31
	Nov. 18	4	.	.	.	.	—	12	—	5	3	.	—	.	1	.	8	.	.	—	13	46
	Nov. 25	.	.	.	.	.	—	6	—	5	5	1	—	.	.	.	5	.	.	—	7	29
	Dec. 2	.	.	.	.	.	—	6	—	8	3	.	—	.	.	.	4	.	.	2	11	34
Rathmines & Rathgar Urban District	Nov. 11	.	.	.	.	.	—	1	—	.	1	.	—	.	.	.	1	.	.	—	—	3
	Nov. 18	.	.	.	.	.	—	6	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	1	.	.	—	—	7
	Nov. 25	.	.	.	.	.	—	3	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	1	.	.	—	—	4
	Dec. 2	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	.
Pembroke Urban District	Nov. 11	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.
	Nov. 18	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.
	Nov. 25	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	2
	Dec. 2	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	2
Blackrock Urban District	Nov. 11	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.
	Nov. 18	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.
	Nov 25	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.
	Dec. 2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.
Dún Laoghaire Urban District	Nov. 11	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	1	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	1
	Nov. 18	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.
	Nov. 25	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.
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City of Cork	Nov. 11	.	.	.	.	.	.	3	—	7	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	—	10
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City of Limerick	Nov. 11	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	6	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	6
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	Dec. 2	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	3	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	3
City of Waterford	Nov. 11	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	.	.
	Nov. 18	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	.	.
	Nov. 25	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	.	.
	Dec. 2	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	.	.

TABLE IV.—Showing the NUMBER of CASES of the undermentioned DISEASES treated in Dublin Hospitals during the week ended Saturday, 2nd December, 1922, with the number under treatment at the close of each of the last four weeks.

Diseases	No. of Cases in Hospital at close of week ended			Week ended 2nd December			
	Nov. 11	Nov. 18	Nov. 25	No. admitted.	Dis-charged	Died.	No. under treatment at close of week.
Enteric Fever, ...	20	18	20	1	1	.	20
Typhus, ...	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Small-pox, ...	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Measles, ...	3	.	.	.	.	.	.
Scarlet Fever, ...	63	83	88	11	11	.	88*
Diphtheria, ...	46	55	47	6	6	1	46
Pneumonia, ...	24	29	26	5	5	.	26

* Exclusive of 11 patients in "Beneavin," the Convalescent Home of Cork Street Fever Hospital.

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TWELVE TOWN DISTRICTS.

The Births and Deaths * registered in the Dublin Registration Area and in eleven provincial Urban Districts of the Irish Free State, with the annual rates per 1,000 of the population represented thereby, which, for the purposes of these Returns, is estimated at 662,256, are given in Table I. The deaths from all causes appertaining to the undermentioned areas for last week and for the past four weeks, respectively, were equal to the following annual rates per 1,000 of the population:—

Twelve Town Districts, 14·9 and 15·0; Dublin Registration Area, 13·9 and 14·8; Dublin City, 13·6 and 14·7; Cork, 17·0 and 13·4; Limerick, 19·0 and 20·0; and Waterford, 17·1 and 16·6.

The deaths* from certain epidemic diseases† registered in the 12 town districts during last week were equal to an annual rate of 1·1 per 1,000. Among the 25 deaths from all causes for Cork are 3 from diphtheria. The 14 deaths from all causes for Limerick include 3 from diphtheria, and 2 of the 9 deaths from all causes for Waterford are from measles.

DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA.

In the Dublin Registration Area the total number of births registered during the week amounted to 191—99 boys and 92 girls—and the deaths to 131—69 males and 62 females.

The deaths registered, omitting the deaths (numbering 17) of persons admitted to public institutions from localities outside the Dublin Registration Area, represent an annual rate of mortality of 13·9 per 1,000 of the population. During the forty-nine weeks ending with Saturday last, the death-rate averaged 17·1 and was 3·1 below the mean rate for the corresponding portion of the ten years, 1912-1921. The rate for all deaths registered during the forty-nine weeks was 18·6 and for the corresponding period of the preceding ten years 21·7.

Included in the 114 deaths appertaining to the Area are one from scarlet fever, 2 from diphtheria, 2 from diarrhœa and enteritis of children under 2 years, 3 from influenza and one from varicella. In the three preceding weeks deaths from diphtheria were 0, one, and one; deaths from diarrhœa and enteritis of children under 2 years 5, 5, and 4; and deaths from influenza 2, 2, and one. There were no deaths from scarlet fever registered in the three preceding weeks.

There were 11 deaths from pneumonia, comprising 7 from broncho-pneumonia, 3 from lobar-pneumonia, and one from pneumonia (not otherwise defined).

Tuberculous disease caused 10 deaths (including 7 from pulmonary tuberculosis, 2 from abdominal tuberculosis and one from tubercular arthritis), as against 14, 11, and 12 from all forms of tuberculous disease in the three weeks preceding.

Four deaths were caused by cancer, 8 by organic diseases of the heart, and 15 by bronchitis.

Two accidental deaths were registered, of which one was due to drowning.

Among deaths of infants under one year old, 2 were due to meningitis, 3 to convulsions, 2 to bronchitis, one to broncho-pneumonia, one to lobar-pneumonia, one to pneumonia, 2 to diarrhœa and enteritis, 2 to premature birth, and 4 to congenital debility.

Thirty-three of the deaths registered during the week, appertaining to the Area, were those of children under 5 years of age, 25 being infants under one year, of whom 10 were under one month old, and 34 deaths were those of persons aged 65 and upwards, of whom 26 were 70 years of age or over.

Of the 114 deaths recorded, 37 occurred in hospitals and other public institutions.

ENGLAND AND SCOTLAND.

The mortality among civilians for the week ended 9th December, in 105 large English towns (including London in which the rate was 13·1) was equal to an average annual death rate of 12·2 per 1,000 of the estimated civil population.

The average death-rate for 16 principal towns of Scotland was 13·9 per 1,000 persons living, the rate for Glasgow being 14·0 and for Edinburgh 13·0.

* Exclusive of the deaths of persons admitted into public institutions from without the respective districts.

† Enteric fever, typhus, small-pox, measles, scarlet fever, whooping-cough, diphtheria, dysentery, and diarrhœal diseases.

TABLE I.—BIRTHS and DEATHS registered during the week ended Saturday, 9th DECEMBER, 1922, in the DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA, in each of the under-mentioned 11 CITIES OR URBAN DISTRICTS, and in BELFAST and LONDONDERRY CITIES (*exclusive of Births and Deaths in Public Institutions relating to Persons admitted from other Districts*), the Number of Deaths from some of the PRINCIPAL CAUSES, and the Number of Uncertified Deaths with the Temperature and Rainfall for the week; also particulars regarding Births, Deaths and Meteorology in London, Edinburgh, and Glasgow.

TOWNS AND DISTRICTS.	POPULATION. Total (a)	Persons to an Acre.	Annual Rate per 1,000 Persons Represented by DEATHS. BIRTHS.	From all Causes.	From certain Epidemic Diseases. (b)	REGISTRATION—WEEK ENDED SATURDAY, 9th DECEMBER, 1922. NUMBERS REGISTERED. BIRTHS. Total Number.	DEATHS. Total Number.	Under 1 year of Age.	At 65 years and upwards.	Caused by: Enteric Fever.	Typhus.	Small-pox.	Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Whooping-cough.	Diphtheria.	Dysentery.	Influenza.	Tuberculosis. Pulmonary.	Other Forms.	Cancer.	Diseases of the Respiratory System. Pneumonia.	Other.	Diarrhœa and Enteritis of children under 2 years of age.	Diarrhœa, 2 years of age and upwards.	Violence.	Inquest Cases.	No. of Deaths in Public Institutions.	Number of Uncertified Deaths.	METEOROLOGY. (c) WEEK ENDED 9th DECEMBER, 1922. Air Temperature. Absolute Highest.	Absolute Lowest.	Mean Maximum (A).	Mean Minimum (B).	Mean of (A) and (B).	Rainfall in Inches.
COLS.	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)	(14)	(15)	(16)	(17)	(18)	(19)	(20)	(21)	(22)	(23)	(24)	(25)	(26)	(27)	(28)	(29)	(30)	(31)	(32)	(33)	(34)	(35)
TOTAL OF 12 TOWN DISTRICTS ...	662,256	18·9	23·3	14·9	1·1	296	189	32	61	.	.	.	2	1	.	8	.	3	12	5	10	13	22	3	.	5	6	72	6	.	.	.	.	.	.
DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA	427,000	30·5	21·5	13·9	0·6	176	114	25	34	.	.	.	.	1	.	2	.	3	7	3	4	11	16	2	.	2	3	37	.	(d)50·0	33·9	48·3	38·7	43·5	0·20
Urban Districts. CITY OF DUBLIN	327,000	40·0	22·3	13·6	0·8	140	85	21	23	.	.	.	.	1	.	2	.	1	5	2	3	11	14	2	.	1	2	34	.	(e)52·1	37·2	49·2	42·3	45·8	0·15
																														(f)51·8	33·6	48·9	40·4	44·7	0·21
RATHMINES and RATHGAR ...	41,500	24·2	17·6	12·6	.	14	10	1	4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
PEMBROKE ...	31,100	19·8	16·8	18·4	.	10	11	2	5	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
BLACKROCK ...	9,900	9·1	10·5	5·3	.	2	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
DÚN LAOGHAIRE	17,500	12·0	29·8	20·9	.	10	7	1	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	1	1	.	.	53	40	50·0	43·1	46·5	0·13
Urban Districts. CORK	76,673	28·6	28·6	17·0	2·0	42	25	3	10	.	.	.	.	.	.	3	.	.	1	.	3	.	1	.	.	1	1	15	3	.	.	.	.	.	.
LIMERICK ...	38,518	16·1	42·0	19·0	4·1	31	14	2	7	.	.	.	.	.	.	3	.	.	1	.	.	.	2	.	.	.	.	7	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
WATERFORD ...	27,464	19·1	20·9	17.1	3·8	11	9	.	2	.	.	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	1	.	1	.	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
GALWAY	13,255	2·5	The annual rates represented by the numbers of births and deaths registered for these urban districts will be shown in the Quarterly Summary of the Weekly Returns.			6	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	52	34	51·4	41·4	46·4	0·16
DUNDALK ...	13,128	9·5				5	4	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.
DROGHEDA ...	12,501	8·4				4	2	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
WEXFORD ...	11,531	22·8				5	4	1	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.
SLIGO	11,163	2·8				4	2	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	1	1	53	35	51	42	46·5	0·35
KILKENNY ...	10,514	11·4				5	10	1	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	6	.	52	29	49	39	44	0·04
TRALEE ...	10,300	17·4				3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
CLONMEL	10,209	4·8				4	4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
BELFAST CITY	425,000	24·3	21·8	10·6	0·6	178	86	15	15	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	9	4	8	6	5	4	.	1	1	21	3	51·5	37·5	50·2	42·6	46·4	0·29
LONDONDERRY CITY ...	46,000	36·3	18·1	10·2	.	16	9	3	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	.	.	1	2	.	.	.	.	.	.
LONDON	4,514,405	—	—	13·1	—	1,747	1,130	139	443	.	.	.	1	4	4	9	—	—	83	11	108	165	132	17	4	30	93	542	1	50	24	46·4	38·6	42·5	0·03
EDINBURGH	420,500	—	—	13·0	0·7	146	105	10	35	.	.	.	.	1	2	2	—	—	—	—	—	9		1	—	3	—	—	—	51·0	36·0	47·6	40·0	43·8	0·17
GLASGOW	1,037,800	—	—	14·0	0·5	491	278g	57	77	1	.	.	.	1	2	3	—	3	—	—	—	76		3	—	11	—	—	—	51·0	37·1	48·4	41·2	44·8	0·17

(a) According to the Census of 1911, but in the cases of the Dublin Registration Area and its component parts, and Belfast and Londonderry, the population given is that estimated to the middle of 1922. The estimate shown for London relates to the civil population in 1921. The population given for Glasgow and Edinburgh is that estimated to the middle of 1922. (b) See note (†) at foot of first page. (c) The observations shown for Cork were taken at Roche's Point, and those for Sligo at Markree. (d) Observations at Ordnance Survey Offices, Phœnix Park. (e) Observations by Sir John Moore, taken at Fitzwilliam Square. (f) Observations taken at the Botanic Gardens, Glasnevin; (g) Including one death from cerebro-spinal meningitis.

TABLE II.—Showing for the WEEK ENDED 9TH DECEMBER, 1922, the number of DEATHS of Residents of the several REGISTRARS' DISTRICTS in the DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA, and in the CITY OF CORK, the annual Rate per 1,000 of the Population of the respective Districts represented thereby, and by the Deaths from the principal Epidemic Diseases†; with the mortality from some of the principal causes; also the Deaths at certain age-periods, and the number of Uncertified Deaths, *the Deaths in Public Institutions being assigned to the Districts from which the deceased were admitted.*

WEEK ENDED SATURDAY, 9TH DECEMBER, 1922.

REGISTRARS' DISTRICTS, &c.	Estimated Population middle of 1922.*	Annual Rate of Mortality per 1,000 Living represented by Deaths. From all causes	From certain Epidemic Diseases†	Total Deaths.	Under 1 year.	1 and under 2.	2 and under 5.	5 and under 15.	15 and under 25.	25 and under 45.	45 and under 65.	65 and upwards.	Enteric Fever.	Typhus.	Small-pox.	Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Whooping-cough.	Diphtheria.	Dysentery.	Influenza.	Tuberculosis. Pulmonary.	Tuberculosis. Other Forms.	Cancer.	Diseases of Respiratory System. Pneumonia.	Diseases of Respiratory System. Other.	Diarrhœa and Enteritis of Children under 2 years.	Diarrhœa, 2 years and upwards.	Violence.	Other Causes.	Inquest Cases.	In Institutions. In Hospitals, Prisons and Lunatic Asylums.	In Institutions. In Workhouse Hospitals.	Number of Uncertified Deaths.
Cols.	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)	(14)	(15)	(16)	(17)	(18)	(19)	(20)	(21)	(22)	(23)	(24)	(25)	(26)	(27)	(28)	(29)	(30)	(31)	(32)	(33)	34)
DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA.																																		
Dublin City Districts. North City, No. 1, E.	31,600	19·8	3·3	12	5	.	.	.	.	1	3	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	2	2	.	.	6	1	3	1	.
" 1, W.	43,300	20·5	1·2	17	3	1	.	1	1	2	4	5	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	2	.	1	.	3	.	.	.	10	.	7	2	.
" 2	29,000	14·4	.	8	5	2	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	3	.	.	.	.	4	.	2	.	.
" 3	35,900	10·2	2·9	7	2	1	1	1	.	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	3	.	.	.	.	2	.	2	.	.
Clontarf and Howth, No. 1, part of	5,800	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Coolock and Drumcondra, part of	14,300	10·9	.	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.
Finglas and Glasnevin, part of	11,700	8·9	.	2	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.
South City, No. 1	45,300	15·0	.	13	1	.	.	.	.	3	3	6	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	1	.	.	2	.	.	.	8	.	3	3	.
" 2	19,100	5·5	.	2	1	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.
" 3	45,600	9·1	.	8	2	.	1	.	.	.	1	4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	4	.	.	.	4	.	2	2	.
" 4	34,500	15·1	.	10	.	.	.	1	.	4	3	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	2	1	.	.	1	5	1	5	.	.
New Kilmainham	10,900	14·4	.	3	1	.	.	.	1	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.
Urban Districts. Rathmines and Rathgar	41,500	12·6	.	10	1	.	2	.	.	1	2	4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	6	.	2	.	.
Pembroke	31,100	18·4	.	11	2	.	.	2	.	1	1	5	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	10	.	1	.	.
Blackrock	9,900	5.3	.	1	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Dún Laoghaire	17,500	20·9	.	7	1	.	.	.	1	1	2	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	1	4	1	.	.	.
Total City of Dublin	327,000	13·6	0·8	85	21	4	2	3	2	10	20	23	.	.	.	.	1	.	2	.	1	5	2	3	11	14	2	.	1	43	2	26	8	.
Total Urban Districts	100,000	15·1	.	29	4	.	2	2	2	3	5	11	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	2	1	1	.	2	.	.	1	20	1	3	.	.
Total Dublin Registration Area	427,000	13·9	0·6	114	25	4	4	5	4	13	25	34	.	.	.	.	1	.	2	.	3	7	3	4	11	16	2	.	2	63	3	29	8	.
Deaths relating to residents of localities situated outside the Registration Area (not included in above)				17	4	1	1	.	.	2	5	4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	2	.	.	1	.	1	12	.	17	.	.
CITY OF CORK.																																		
Cork City Districts. Cork Urban, No. 1	13,455	31·0	3·9	8	.	1		.		2	1	4	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	1	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	4	1	5		1
" 2	10,399	10·0	5·0	2	.	.		1		.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	2		.
" 3	9,793	31·9	.	6	1	.		2		.	1	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	1	4	.	3		1
" 4	9,139	11·4	.	2	1	.		.		.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	1		.
" 5	6,250	.	.	.	.	.		.		.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.		.
" 6	11,581	9·0	.	2	1	.		.		1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	1	.	.		.
" 7	16,056	16·2	3·2	5	.	.		2		.	.	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	4	.	4		1
Total City of Cork	76,673	17·0	2 0	25	3	1		5		3	3	10	.	.	.	.	.	.	3	.	.	1	.	3	.	1	.	.	1	16	1	15		3

* The populations given for the City of Cork and its component parts are those according to the Census of 1911.

† See note (†) at foot of first page.

TABLE III.—Showing the NUMBER of CASES of INFECTIOUS DISEASES notified in the Dublin Registration Area (viz. :—the City of Dublin, and the Urban Districts of Rathmines and Rathgar, Pembroke, Blackrock and Dún Laoghaire), and in the Cities of Cork, Limerick, and Waterford, during the week ended 9th December, 1922, and each of the preceding three weeks, as furnished by the respective Sanitary Authorities. A dash (—) denotes that the disease in question is not notifiable in the District.

Cities and Urban Districts.	Week ending	Enteric Fever.	Typhus.	Pyrexia—Continued Fever.	Relapsing Fever.	Small-pox.	Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Whooping-cough.	Diphtheria (including Membranous Croup).	Erysipelas.	Puerperal Fever.	Diarrhœal Diseases.	Dysentery	Malaria	Trench Fever	Acute Primary Pneumonia and Acute Influenzal Pneumonia	Cerebro-spinal Fever	Acute Poliomyelitis	Varicella	Tuberculosis.	Total.
City of Dublin	Nov. 18	4	.	.	.	.	—	12	—	5	3	.	—	.	1	.	8	.	.	—	13	46
	Nov. 25	.	.	.	.	.	—	6	—	5	5	1	—	.	.	.	5	.	.	—	7	29
	Dec. 2	.	.	.	.	.	—	6	—	8	3	.	—	.	.	.	4	.	.	2	11	34
	Dec. 9	2	.	.	.	.	—	7	—	11	2	.	—	.	.	.	8	.	.	3	14	47
Rathmines & Rathgar Urban District	Nov. 18	.	.	.	.	.	—	6	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	1	.	.	—	—	7
	Nov. 25	.	.	.	.	.	—	3	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	1	.	.	—	—	4
	Dec. 2	.	.	.	.	.	—	1	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	2	.	.	—	—	3
	Dec. 9	.	.	.	.	.	—	3	—	.	1	.	—	.	.	.	1	.	.	—	—	5
Pembroke Urban District	Nov. 18	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.
	Nov. 25	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	2
	Dec. 2	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	2
	Dec. 9	.	.	.	.	.	.	6	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	1	.	.	—	.	7
Blackrock Urban District	Nov 18	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.
	Nov 25	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.
	Dec 2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.
	Dec. 9	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.
Dún Laoghaire Urban District	Nov. 18	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.
	Nov. 25	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.
	Dec. 2	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.
	Dec. 9	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.
City of Cork	Nov. 18	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	—	12	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	—	14
	Nov. 25	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	—	4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	—	5
	Dec. 2	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	—	11	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	4	—	19
	Dec. 9	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	7	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	1	—	8
City of Limerick	Nov. 18	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	.
	Nov. 25	.	.	.	.	.	—	2	—	5	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	7
	Dec. 2	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	3	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	3
	Dec. 9	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	5	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	5
City of Waterford	Nov. 18	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	.	.
	Nov. 25	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	.	.
	Dec. 2	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	.	.
	Dec. 9	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	.	.

TABLE IV.—Showing the NUMBER of CASES of the undermentioned DISEASES treated in Dublin Hospitals during the week ended Saturday, 9th December, 1922, with the number under treatment at the close of each of the last four weeks.

Diseases	No. of Cases in Hospital at close of week ended			Week ended 9th December			
	Nov. 18	Nov. 25	Dec. 2	No. admitted.	Dis-charged	Died.	No. under treatment at close of week.
Enteric Fever, ...	18	20	20	3	7	.	16
Typhus, ...	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Small-pox, ...	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Measles, ...	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Scarlet Fever, ...	83	88	88	13	22	1	78*
Diphtheria, ...	55	47	46	10	14	1	41
Pneumonia, ...	29	26	26	5	7	2	22

* Exclusive of 20 patients in "Beneavin," the Convalescent Home of Cork Street Fever Hospital.

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TWELVE TOWN DISTRICTS.

The Births and Deaths * registered in the Dublin Registration Area and in eleven provincial Urban Districts of the Irish Free State, with the annual rates per 1,000 of the population represented thereby, which, for the purposes of these Returns, is estimated at 662,256, are given in Table I. The deaths from all causes appertaining to the undermentioned areas for last week and for the past four weeks, respectively, were equal to the following annual rates per 1,000 of the population:—

Twelve Town Districts, 16·1 and 15·1; Dublin Registration Area, 16·6 and 15·2; Dublin City, 15·1 and 14·9; Cork, 15·6 and 14·3; Limerick, 12·2 and 17·3; and Waterford, 15·2 and 16·1.

The deaths* from certain epidemic diseases† registered in the 12 town districts during last week were equal to an annual rate of 0·5 per 1,000. Among the 23 deaths from all causes for Cork is one from diphtheria.

DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA.

In the Dublin Registration Area the total number of births registered during the week amounted to 202—104 boys and 98 girls—and the deaths to 143—91 males and 52 females.

The deaths registered, omitting the deaths (numbering 7) of persons admitted to public institutions from localities outside the Dublin Registration Area, represent an annual rate of mortality of 16·6 per 1,000 of the population. During the fifty weeks ending with Saturday last, the death-rate averaged 17·1 and was 3·1 below the mean rate for the corresponding portion of the ten years, 1912-1921. The rate for all deaths registered during the fifty weeks was 18·5 and for the corresponding period of the preceding ten years 21·7.

Included in the 136 deaths appertaining to the Area are one from enteric fever, one from whooping cough, 3 from diarrhœa and enteritis of children under 2 years, and one from varicella. In the three preceding weeks deaths from diarrhœa and enteritis of children under 2 years were 5, 4, and 2. There were no deaths from enteric fever or whooping cough registered in the three preceding weeks.

There were 14 deaths from pneumonia, comprising 9 from broncho-pneumonia, 2 from lobar-pneumonia, and 3 from pneumonia (not otherwise defined).

Tuberculous disease caused 13 deaths (including 9 from pulmonary tuberculosis, one from tuberculous meningitis, 2 from abdominal tuberculosis and one from tubercular arthritis), as against 11, 12, and 10 from all forms of tuberculous disease in the three weeks preceding.

Six deaths were caused by cancer, 12 by organic diseases of the heart, and 18 by bronchitis.

Nine accidental deaths were registered, of which one was caused by burns, one by drowning, and 2 by gunshot wounds. There were 5 cases of homicide, one of suicide, and 3 of execution.

Among deaths of infants under one year old, 2 were due to meningitis, 3 to convulsions, 2 to bronchitis, three to broncho-pneumonia, one to lobar-pneumonia, one to pneumonia, 2 to diarrhœa and enteritis, 6 to premature birth, and one to congenital debility.

Thirty-four of the deaths registered during the week, appertaining to the Area, were those of children under 5 years of age, 26 being infants under one year, of whom 10 were under one month old, and 37 deaths were those of persons aged 65 and upwards, of whom 27 were 70 years of age or over.

Of the 136 deaths recorded, 61 occurred in hospitals and other public institutions.

ENGLAND AND SCOTLAND.

The mortality among civilians for the week ended 16th December, in 105 large English towns (including London in which the rate was 13·3) was equal to an average annual death rate of 12·9 per 1,000 of the estimated civil population.

The average death-rate for 16 principal towns of Scotland was 15·5 per 1,000 persons living, the rate for Glasgow being 16·5 and for Edinburgh 11·2.

* Exclusive of the deaths of persons admitted into public institutions from without the respective districts.
† Enteric fever, typhus, small-pox, measles, scarlet fever, whooping-cough, diphtheria, dysentery, and diarrhœal diseases.

TABLE I.—BIRTHS and DEATHS registered during the week ended Saturday, 16th DECEMBER, 1922, in the DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA, in each of the under-mentioned 11 CITIES OR URBAN DISTRICTS, and in BELFAST and LONDONDERRY CITIES (*exclusive of Births and Deaths in Public Institutions relating to Persons admitted from other Districts*), the Number of Deaths from some of the PRINCIPAL CAUSES, and the Number of Uncertified Deaths with the Temperature and Rainfall for the week; also particulars regarding Births, Deaths and Meteorology in London, Edinburgh, and Glasgow.

TOWNS AND DISTRICTS.	POPULATION. Total (a)	Persons to an Acre.	Annual Rate per 1,000 Persons Represented by BIRTHS.	DEATHS. From all Causes.	DEATHS. From certain Epidemic Diseases. (b)	REGISTRATION—WEEK ENDED SATURDAY, 16th DECEMBER, 1922. NUMBERS REGISTERED. BIRTHS. Total Number	DEATHS. Total Number.	Under 1 year of Age.	At 65 years and upwards.	Caused by: Enteric Fever.	Typhus.	Small-pox.	Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Whooping-cough.	Diphtheria.	Dysentery.	Influenza.	Tuberculosis. Pulmonary.	Other Forms.	Cancer.	Diseases of the Respiratory System. Pneumonia.	Other.	Diarrhœa and Enteritis of children under 2 years of age.	Diarrhœa, 2 years of age and upwards.	Violence.	Inquest Cases.	No. of Deaths in Public Institutions.	Number of Uncertified Deaths.	METEOROLOGY. (c) WEEK ENDED 16th DECEMBER, 1922. Air Temperature. Absolute Highest.	Absolute Lowest.	Mean Maximum (A).	Mean Minimum (B).	Mean of (A) and (B).	Rainfall in Inches.
COLS.	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)	(14)	(15)	(16)	(17)	(18)	(19)	(20)	(21)	(22)	(23)	(24)	(25)	(26)	(27)	(28)	(29)	(30)	(31)	(32)	(33)	(34)	(35)
TOTAL OF 12 TOWN DISTRICTS ...	662,256	18·9	19·6	16·1	0·5	249	204	38	62	1	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	1	15	9	13	18	26	3	.	19	14	73	12	.	.	.	.	.	.
DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA	427,000	30·5	22·6	16·6	0·6	185	136	26	37	1	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	9	4	6	14	19	3	.	18	14	61	3	(d)55·2	26·4	50·0	37·4	43·7	0·49
Urban Districts. CITY OF DUBLIN	327,000	40·0	24·6	15·1	0·8	154	95	22	16	1	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	9	3	4	11	14	3	.	15	11	46	2	(e)56·0 (f)55·2	34·1 28·6	51·2 50·6	42·6 40·2	46·9 45·4	0·49 0·62
Urban Districts. RATHMINES and RATHGAR ...	41,500	24·2	15·1	23·9	.	12	19	1	10	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	3	.	.	1	2	10	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Urban Districts. PEMBROKE ...	31,100	19·8	20·1	18·4	.	12	11	2	5	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	2	1	2	.	.	.	.	4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Urban Districts. BLACKROCK ...	9,900	9·1	5·3	21·1	.	1	4	.	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Urban Districts. DÚN LAOGHAIRE	17,500	12·0	17·9	20·9	.	6	7	1	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	2	1	1	1	57	36	50·7	43·5	47·1	0·38
Urban Districts. CORK	76,673	28·6	12·9	15·6	0·7	19	23	3	10	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	3	.	1	1	1	.	.	1	.	7	2	.	.	.	.	.	.
Urban Districts. LIMERICK ...	38,518	16·1	14·9	12·2	.	11	9	3	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	1	1	.	.	.	.	2	3	.	.	.	.	.	.
Urban Districts. WATERFORD ...	27,464	19·1	15·2	15·2	.	8	8	1	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	2	1	.	2	.	.	.	.	2	1	.	.	.	.	.	.
Urban Districts. GALWAY	13,255	2·5	The annual rates represented by the numbers of births and deaths registered for these urban districts will be shown in the Quarterly Summary of the Weekly Returns.			3	6	1	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	51	34	49·4	39·5	44·5	0·75
Urban Districts. DUNDALK ...	13,128	9·5				5	3	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.
Urban Districts. DROGHEDA ...	12,501	8·4				2	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Urban Districts. WEXFORD ...	11,531	22·8				4	5	1	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	2	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.
Urban Districts. SLIGO	11,163	2·8				2	4	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	55	27	48	38	43	0·36
Urban Districts. KILKENNY ...	10,514	11·4				6	3	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	1	55	36	48·5	41·5	45·0	1·67
Urban Districts. TRALEE ...	10,300	17·4				1	3	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Urban Districts. CLONMEL	10,209	4·8				3	3	2	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
BELFAST CITY	425,000	24·3	20·6	11·8	1·1	168	96	19	19	.	.	.	1	2	1	.	.	.	7	2	6	9	14	4	1	2	2	21	5	55·0	30·0	49·2	41·9	45·6	0·36
LONDONDERRY CITY ...	46,000	36·3	24·9	10·2	.	22	9	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.
LONDON	4,514,405	—	—	13·3	—	1,774	1,148	153	427	1	.	.	2	2	10	21	—	—	81	21	130	113	161	16	3	42	93	536	3	51	29	47·3	38·0	42·7	0·06
EDINBURGH	420,500	—	—	11·2	0·9	155	90	14	28	.	.	.	2	1	1	3	—	1	—	—	—	16		—	—	3	—	—	—	55·0	30·0	47·0	38·6	42·8	0·22
GLASGOW	1,037,800	—	—	16·5	0·9	536	329g	79	80	.	.	.	.	2	7	4	—	2	—	—	—	78		4	—	9	—	—	—	54·3	32·0	47·2	39·8	43·5	0·50

(a) According to the Census of 1911, but in the cases of the Dublin Registration Area and its component parts, and Belfast and Londonderry, the population given is that estimated to the middle of 1922. The estimate shown for London relates to the civil population in 1921. The population given for Glasgow and Edinburgh is that estimated to the middle of 1922. (b) See note (†) at foot of first page. (c) The observations shown for Cork were taken at Roche's Point, and those for Sligo at Markree. (d) Observations at Ordnance Survey Office, Phœnix Park. (e) Observations by Sir John Moore, taken at Fitzwilliam Square. (f) Observations taken at the Botanic Gardens, Glasnevin. (g) Including four deaths from cerebro-spinal meningitis.

TABLE III.—SHOWING FOR THE WEEK ENDED 16TH DECEMBER, 1922, THE NUMBER OF DEATHS OF RESIDENTS OF THE SEVERAL REGISTRARS' DISTRICTS IN THE DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA, AND IN THE CITY OF CORK, THE ANNUAL RATE per 1,000 of the Population of the respective Districts represented thereby, and by the Deaths from the principal Epidemic Diseases†; with the mortality from some of the principal causes; also the Deaths at certain age-periods, and the number of Uncertified Deaths. *the Deaths in Public Institutions being assigned to the Districts from which the deceased were admitted.*

WEEK ENDED SATURDAY, 16TH DECEMBER, 1922.

REGISTRARS' DISTRICTS, &c.	Estimated Population middle of 1922.*	Annual Rate of Mortality per 1,000 Living represented by Deaths. From all causes	From certain Epidemic Diseases†	Total Deaths.	Under 1 year.	1 and under 2.	2 and under 5.	5 and under 15.	15 and under 25.	25 and under 45.	45 and under 65.	65 and upwards.	Caused by: Enteric Fever.	Typhus.	Small-pox.	Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Whooping-cough.	Diphtheria.	Dysentery.	Influenza.	Tuberculosis. Pulmonary.	Tuberculosis. Other Forms.	Cancer.	Diseases of Respiratory System. Pneumonia.	Diseases of Respiratory System. Other.	Diarrhœa and Enteritis of Children under 2 years.	Diarrhœa, 2 years and upwards.	Violence.	Other Causes.	Inquest Cases.	In Institutions. In Hospitals, Prisons and Lunatic Asylums.	In Institutions. In Workhouse Hospitals.	Number of Uncertified Deaths.
Cols.	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)	(14)	(15)	(16)	(17)	(18)	(19)	(20)	(21)	(22)	(23)	(24)	(25)	(26)	(27)	(28)	(29)	(30)	(31)	(32)	(33)	34)
DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA.																																		
Dublin City Districts. North City, No. 1, E.	31,600	11·6	·	7	1	.	.	2	1	.	1	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	.	1	.	.	3	1	2	4	.	.
" 1, W.	43,300	9·6	·	8	2	.	.	.	.	2	2	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	6	1	3	.	.
" 2	29,000	18·0	.	10	2	.	1	1	.	3	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	2	.	.	.	2	5	2	5	.	.
" 3	35,900	16·0	2·9	11	2	.	.	.	2	1	2	4	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	1	1	.	2	4	2	4	2	.
Clontarf and Howth, No. 1, part of	5,800	18·0	.	2	1	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Coolock and Drumcondra, part of	14,300	25·5	.	7	3	.	.	.	.	1	2	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	1	1	.	.	.	4	.	2	1	.
Finglas and Glasnevin, part of	11,700	4·5	4·5	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
South City, No. 1	45,300	18·4	.	16	4	.	.	1	1	2	5	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	1	1	3	2	.	.	2	5	2	7	2	.
" 2	19,100	10·9	.	4	.	.	.	.	2	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	1	2	1	3	.	.
" 3	45,600	14·9	1·1	13	3	1	1	.	2	.	4	2	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	1	1	.	.	4	.	.	.	6	.	3	1	1
" 4	34,500	19·6	1·5	13	3	3	.	.	1	2	2	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	5	4	1	.	1	1	1	5	1	1
New Kilmainham	10,900	14·4	.	3	.	.	.	.	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	3	.	.	3	.	.
Urban Districts. Rathmines and Rathgar	41,500	23·9	·	19	1	.	.	.	.	2	6	10	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	3	.	.	1	14	2	7	3	.
Pembroke	31,100	18·4	·	11	2	.	1	.	.	1	2	5	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	2	1	2	.	.	.	5	.	3	1	.
Blackrock	9,900	21.1	·	4	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	4	.	.	.	.
Dún Laoghaire	17,500	20·9	·	7	1	.	.	.	.	1	2	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	2	4	1	1	.	1
Total City of Dublin	327,000	15·1	0·8	95	22	4	2	4	12	12	23	16	1	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	9	3	4	11	14	3	.	15	34	11	39	7	2
Total Urban Districts	100,000	21·4	·	41	4	.	2	.	.	4	10	21	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	2	3	5	.	.	3	27	3	11	4	1
Total Dublin Registration Area	427,000	16·6	0·6	136	26	4	4	4	12	16	33	37	1	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	9	4	6	14	19	3	.	18	61	14	50	11	3
Deaths relating to residents of localities situated outside the Registration Area (not included in above)				7	.	.	.	.	3	1	.	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	3	.	.	.	.	2	1	1	7	.	.
CITY OF CORK.																																		
Cork City Districts. Cork Urban, No. 1	13,455	7·8	·	2	.		.		.	.	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	1	.		.	.
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" 5	6,250	16·7	.	2	.		.		.	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.		.	.
" 6	11,581	18·0	.	4	.		.		1	2	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	1	2	.	.	.	.
" 7	16,056	16·2	·	5	1		1		.	.	1	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	4	.	3	1	.
Total City of Cork	76,673	15·6	0·7	23	3		1		2	2	5	10	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	3	.	1	1	1	.	.	1	15	.	7		2

* The populations given for the City of Cork and its component parts are those according to the Census of 1911. † See note (†) at foot of first page.

TABLE III.—Showing the NUMBER of CASES of INFECTIOUS DISEASES notified in the Dublin Registration Area (viz. :—the City of Dublin, and the Urban Districts of Rathmines and Rathgar, Pembroke, Blackrock and Dún Laoghaire), and in the Cities of Cork, Limerick, and Waterford, during the week ended 16th December, 1922, and each of the preceding three weeks, as furnished by the respective Sanitary Authorities. A dash (—) denotes that the disease in question is not notifiable in the District.

Cities and Urban Districts.	Week ending	Enteric Fever.	Typhus.	Pyrexia—Continued Fever.	Relapsing Fever.	Small-pox.	Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Whooping-cough.	Diphtheria (including Membranous Croup).	Erysipelas.	Puerperal Fever.	Diarrhœal Diseases.	Dysentery.	Malaria	Trench Fever	Acute Primary Pneumonia and Acute Influenzal Pneumonia	Cerebro-spinal Fever	Acute Poliomyelitis	Varicella	Tuberculosis.	Total.
City of Dublin	Nov. 25	.	.	.	.	.	—	6	—	5	5	1	—	.	.	.	5	.	.	—	7	29
	Dec. 2	.	.	.	.	.	—	6	—	8	3	.	—	.	.	.	4	.	.	2	11	34
	Dec. 9	2	.	.	.	.	—	7	—	11	2	.	—	.	.	.	8	.	.	3	14	47
	Dec. 16	1	.	.	.	.	—	12	—	5	3	.	—	.	.	.	10	.	.	7	8	46
Rathmines & Rathgar Urban District	Nov. 25	.	.	.	.	.	—	3	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	1	.	.	—	—	4
	Dec. 2	.	.	.	.	.	—	1	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	2	.	.	—	—	3
	Dec. 9	.	.	.	.	.	—	3	—	.	1	.	—	.	.	.	1	.	.	—	—	5
	Dec. 16	.	.	.	.	.	—	6	—	3	1	1	—	.	.	.	1	.	.	—	—	12
Pembroke Urban District	Nov. 25	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	2
	Dec. 2	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	2
	Dec. 9	.	.	.	.	.	.	6	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	1	.	.	—	.	7
	Dec. 16	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	2
Blackrock Urban District	Nov 25	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.
	Dec. 2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.
	Dec. 9	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.
	Dec 16	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.
Dún Laoghaire Urban District	Nov. 25	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.
	Dec. 2	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.
	Dec. 9	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.
	Dec. 16	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.
City of Cork	Nov. 25	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	—	4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	—	5
	Dec. 2	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	—	11	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	4	—	19
	Dec. 9	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	7	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	1	—	8
	Dec. 16	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	—	8	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	3	—	12
City of Limerick	Nov. 25	.	.	.	.	.	—	2	—	5	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	7
	Dec. 2	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	3	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	3
	Dec. 9	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	5	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	5
	Dec. 16	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	4	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	4
City of Waterford	Nov. 25	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	.	.
	Dec. 2	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	.	.
	Dec. 9	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	.	.
	Dec. 16	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	.	.

TABLE IV.—Showing the NUMBER of CASES of the undermentioned DISEASES treated in Dublin Hospitals during the week ended Saturday, 16th December, 1922, with the number under treatment at the close of each of the last four weeks.

Diseases	No. of Cases in Hospital at close of week ended			Week ended 16th December			
	Nov. 25	Dec. 2	Dec. 9	No. admitted.	Dis-charged	Died.	No. under treatment at close of week.
Enteric Fever, ...	20	20	16	2	3	1	14
Typhus, ...	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Small-pox, ...	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Measles, ...	.	.	.	3	.	.	3
Scarlet Fever, ...	88	88	78	17	8	.	87*
Diphtheria, ...	47	46	41	15	10	.	46
Pneumonia, ...	26	26	22	6	3	.	25

* Exclusive of 17 patients in "Beneavin," the Convalescent Home of Cork Street Fever Hospital.

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TWELVE TOWN DISTRICTS.

The Births and Deaths * registered in the Dublin Registration Area and in eleven provincial Urban Districts of the Irish Free State, with the annual rates per 1,000 of the population represented thereby, which, for the purposes of these Returns, is estimated at 662,256, are given in Table I. The deaths from all causes appertaining to the undermentioned areas for last week and for the past four weeks, respectively, were equal to the following annual rates per 1,000 of the population :—

Twelve Town Districts, 16·4 and 15·5; Dublin Registration Area, 16·9 and 15·7; Dublin City, 17·2 and 15·4; Cork, 12·2 and 13·3; Limerick, 17·6 and 15·9; and Waterford, 20·9 and 18·5.

The deaths* from certain epidemic diseases† registered in the 12 town districts during last week were equal to an annual rate of 0·9 per 1,000. Among the 18 deaths from all causes for Cork is one from diphtheria, and one death from the same disease is also among the 5 deaths from all causes for Wexford.

DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA.

In the Dublin Registration Area the total number of births registered during the week amounted to 136—72 boys and 64 girls—and the deaths to 157—73 males and 84 females.

The deaths registered, omitting the deaths (numbering 19) of persons admitted to public institutions from localities outside the Dublin Registration Area, represent an annual rate of mortality of 16·9 per 1,000 of the population. During the fifty-one weeks ending with Saturday last, the death-rate averaged 17·1 and was 3·2 below the mean rate for the corresponding portion of the ten years, 1912-1921. The rate for all deaths registered during the fifty-one weeks was 18·6 and for the corresponding period of the preceding ten years 21·7.

Included in the 138 deaths appertaining to the Area are 3 from whooping cough, 2 from diphtheria, 4 from diarrhœa and enteritis of children under 2 years, 2 from influenza, and one from acute poliomyelitis. In the three preceding weeks deaths from whooping cough were 0, 0 and one; deaths from diphtheria were one, 2 and 0; deaths from diarrhœa and enteritis of children under 2 years were 4, 2, and 3; and deaths from influenza one, 3, and 0.

There were 15 deaths from pneumonia, comprising 12 from broncho-pneumonia, 2 from lobar-pneumonia, and one from pneumonia (not otherwise defined).

Tuberculous disease caused 18 deaths (including 15 from pulmonary tuberculosis, one from tuberculous meningitis, and 2 from other forms of tuberculous disease), as against 12, 10 and 13 from all forms of tuberculous disease in the three weeks preceding.

Twelve deaths were caused by cancer, 10 by organic diseases of the heart, and 20 by bronchitis.

Six accidental deaths were registered, of which 2 were caused by firearms, one by a fall, and 2 by vehicles. There was one case of homicide.

Among deaths of infants under one year old, 3 were due to whooping cough, one to generalized tuberculosis, 2 were due to meningitis, 2 to convulsions, 7 to broncho-pneumonia, one to lobar-pneumonia, one to pneumonia, 3 to diarrhœa and enteritis, one to premature birth, and 4 to congenital debility.

Thirty-seven of the deaths registered during the week, appertaining to the Area, were those of children under 5 years of age, 31 being infants under one year, of whom 10 were under one month old, and 34 deaths were those of persons aged 65 and upwards, of whom 27 were 70 years of age or over.

Of the 138 deaths recorded, 51 occurred in hospitals and other public institutions.

ENGLAND AND SCOTLAND.

The mortality among civilians for the week ended 23rd December, in 105 large English towns (including London in which the rate was 12·3) was equal to an average annual death rate of 12·5 per 1,000 of the estimated civil population.

The average death-rate for 16 principal towns of Scotland was 14·5 per 1,000 persons living, the rate for Glasgow being 14·8 and for Edinburgh 14·9.

* Exclusive of the deaths of persons admitted into public institutions from without the respective districts.
† Enteric fever, typhus, small-pox, measles, scarlet fever, whooping-cough, diphtheria, dysentery, and diarrhœal diseases.

TABLE I.—BIRTHS and DEATHS registered during the week ended Saturday, 23rd DECEMBER, 1922, in the DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA, in each of the under-mentioned 11 CITIES OR URBAN DISTRICTS, and in BELFAST and LONDONDERRY CITIES (*exclusive of Births and Deaths in Public Institutions relating to Persons admitted from other Districts*), the Number of Deaths from some of the PRINCIPAL CAUSES, and the Number of Uncertified Deaths with the Temperature and Rainfall for the week; also particulars regarding Births, Deaths and Meteorology in London, Edinburgh, and Glasgow.

TOWNS AND DISTRICTS.	POPULATION. Total (a)	Persons to an Acre.	Annual Rate per 1,000 Persons Represented by DEATHS. BIRTHS.	From all Causes.	From certain Epidemic Diseases. (b)	REGISTRATION—WEEK ENDED SATURDAY, 23rd DECEMBER, 1922. NUMBERS REGISTERED. BIRTHS. Total Number	DEATHS. Total Number.	Under 1 year of Age.	At 65 years and upwards.	Caused by: Enteric Fever.	Typhus.	Small-pox.	Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Whooping-cough.	Diphtheria.	Dysentery.	Influenza.	Tuberculosis. Pulmonary.	Other Forms.	Cancer.	Diseases of the Respiratory System. Pneumonia.	Other.	Diarrhœa and Enteritis of children under 2 years of age.	Diarrhœa, 2 years of age and upwards.	Violence.	Inquest Cases.	No. of Deaths in Public Institutions.	Number of Uncertified Deaths.	METEOROLOGY. (c) WEEK ENDED 23rd DECEMBER, 1922. Air Temperature. Absolute Highest.	Absolute Lowest.	Mean Maximum (A).	Mean Minimum (B).	Mean of (A) and (B).	Rainfall in Inches.
COLS.	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)	(14)	(15)	(16)	(17)	(18)	(19)	(20)	(21)	(22)	(23)	(24)	(25)	(26)	(27)	(28)	(29)	(30)	(31)	(32)	(33)	(34)	(35)
TOTAL OF 12 TOWN DISTRICTS ...	662,256	18·9	17·0	16·4	0·9	216	208	36	53	.	.	.	.	.	3	4	.	2	23	6	14	18	29	4	.	9	11	76	8	° .	° .	° .	° .	° .	.
DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA	427,000	30·5	15·9	16·9	1·1	130	138	31	34	.	.	.	.	.	3	2	.	2	15	3	12	15	20	4	.	7	9	51	2	(d)49·8	26·1	44·7	35·0	39·8	0·49
Urban Districts. CITY OF DUBLIN	327,000	40·0	18·5	17·2	1·4	116	108	26	23	.	.	.	.	.	3	2	.	2	12	2	10	13	14	4	.	4	5	44	2	(e)50·0 / (f)51·0	33·2 / 28·0	45·6 / 45·7	37·7 / 36·1	41·7 / 40·9	0·44 / 0·52
Urban Districts. RATHMINES and RATHGAR ...	41,500	24·2	5·0	18·8	.	4	15	2	6	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	1	3	.	.	3	4	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Urban Districts. PEMBROKE ...	31,100	19·8	3·4	16·8	.	2	10	3	4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	3	.	.	.	.	5	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Urban Districts. BLACKROCK ...	9,900	9·1	15·8	5·3	.	3	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Urban Districts. DÚN LAOGHAIRE	17,500	12·0	14·9	11·9	.	5	4	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	47	34	45·1	37·7	41·4	0·52
Urban Districts. CORK	76,673	28·6	15·6	12·2	0·7	23	18	.	7	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	1	1	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	10	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Urban Districts. LIMERICK ...	38,518	16·1	14·9	17·6	.	11	13	3	4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	1	5	.	.	.	.	4	2	.	.	.	.	.	.
Urban Districts. WATERFORD ...	27,464	19·1	17·1	20·9	.	9	11	1	6	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	1	.	.	1	1	8	1	.	.	.	.	.	.
Urban Districts. GALWAY	13,255	2·5	The annual rates represented by the numbers of births and deaths registered for these urban districts will be shown in the Quarterly Summary of the Weekly Returns.			12	7	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	2	.	.	1	.	.	1	.	.	.	48	33	45·5	34·5	40·0	3·22
Urban Districts. DUNDALK ...	13,128	9·5				9	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.
Urban Districts. DROGHEDA ...	12,501	8·4				3	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Urban Districts. WEXFORD ...	11,531	22·8				3	5	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	1	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.
Urban Districts. SLIGO	11,163	2·8				6	3	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	47·0	27·0	44·0	34·0	39·0	2·98
Urban Districts. KILKENNY ...	10,514	11·4				5	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	49	28	44·4	33·7	39·0	0·83
Urban Districts. TRALEE ...	10,300	17·4				4	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Urban Districts. CLONMEL	10,209	4·8				1	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
BELFAST CITY	425,000	24·3	19·8	13·4	0·5	161	109	14	36	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	2	14	3	6	9	13	3	.	5	7	25	2	49·0	26·5	45·8	33·1	39·4	1·26
LONDONDERRY CITY ...	46,000	36·3	23·8	7·9	.	21	7	1	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
LONDON	4,514,405	—	—	12·3	—	1,674	1,068	127	392	1	.	.	3	5	6	21	—	—	91	20	109	125	116	15	3	48	95	496	1	49	36	48·1	38·7	43·4	1·27
EDINBURGH	420,500	—	—	14·9	1·0	182	120	20	41	.	.	.	1	1	4	1	—	1	—	—	—	18		1	—	6	—	—	—	47·0	33·0	43·6	35·9	39·7	0·46
GLASGOW	1,037,800	—	—	14·8	0·7	564	295g	70	66	.	.	.	.	1	8	.	—	.	—	—	—	70		4	—	7	—	—	—	47·3	33·4	44·0	36·3	40·2	0·88

(a) According to the Census of 1911, but in the cases of the Dublin Registration Area and its component parts, and Belfast and Londonderry, the population given is that estimated to the middle of 1922. The estimate shown for London relates to the civil population in 1921. The population given for Glasgow and Edinburgh is that estimated to the middle of 1922. (b) See note (†) at foot of first page. (c) The observations shown for Cork were taken at Roche's Point, and those for Sligo at Markree. (d) Observations at Ordnance Survey Office, Phœnix Park. (e) Observations by Sir John Moore, taken at Fitzwilliam Square. (f) Observations taken at the Botanic Gardens, Glasnevin. (g) Including one death from cerebro-spinal meningitis.

TABLE II.—Showing for the WEEK ENDED 23RD DECEMBER, 1922, the number of DEATHS of Residents of the several REGISTRARS' DISTRICTS in the DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA, and in the CITY OF CORK, the annual Rate per 1,000 of the Population of the respective Districts represented thereby, and by the Deaths from the principal Epidemic Diseases†; with the mortality from some of the principal causes; also the Deaths at certain age-periods, and the number of Uncertified Deaths, *the Deaths in Public Institutions being assigned to the Districts from which the deceased were admitted.*

WEEK ENDED SATURDAY, 23RD DECEMBER, 1922.

REGISTRARS' DISTRICTS, &c.	Estimated Population middle of 1922.*	Annual Rate of Mortality per 1,000 Living represented by Deaths. From all causes	From certain Epidemic Diseases†	Total Deaths.	DEATHS. Under 1 year.	1 and under 2.	2 and under 5.	5 and under 15.	15 and under 25.	25 and under 45.	45 and under 65.	65 and upwards.	Caused by: Enteric Fever.	Typhus.	Small-pox.	Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Whooping-cough.	Diphtheria.	Dysentery.	Influenza.	Tuberculosis. Pulmonary.	Other Forms.	Cancer.	Diseases of Respiratory System. Pneumonia.	Other.	Diarrhœa and Enteritis of Children under 2 years.	Diarrhœa, 2 years and upwards.	Violence.	Other Causes.	Inquest Cases.	In Institutions. In Hospitals, Prisons and Lunatic Asylums.	In Workhouse Hospitals.	Number of Uncertified Deaths.
COLS.	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)	(14)	(15)	(16)	(17)	(18)	(19)	(20)	(21)	(22)	(23)	(24)	(25)	(26)	(27)	(28)	(29)	(30)	(31)	(32)	(33)	34)
DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA.																																		
Dublin City Districts. North City, No. 1, E.	31,600	19·8	1·7	12	6	.	1	.	1	1	2	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	3	.	.	4	1	1	.	.	3	.	.	.	1
" 1, W.	43,300	25·3	1·2	21	4	.	.	.	1	3	7	6	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	2	.	2	1	2	1	.	2	10	3	6	4	.
" 2	29,000	21·6	.	12	5	.	1	.	.	.	3	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	4	3	.	.	.	3	.	3	2	.
" 3	35,900	7·3	.	5	1	.	.	.	.	.	3	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	2	.	.	.	2	.	.	2	.
CLONTARF AND HOWTH, No. 1, part of	5,800	18·0	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	.	.
COOLOCK AND DRUMCONDRA, part of	14,300	14·6	.	4	.	.	.	2	.	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	2	1	1	.	.
FINGLAS AND GLASNEVIN, part of ..	11,700	13·4	.	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.
SOUTH CITY, No. 1	45,300	16·1	1·2	14	2	1	1	.	1	1	4	4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	1	1	2	1	.	1	6	1	3	4	.
" 2	19,100	16·4	.	6	.	.	.	.	.	1	3	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	1	.	.	.	.	3	.	3	.	.
" 3	45,600	14·9	3·4	13	3	1	.	1	.	3	1	4	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	.	1	1	2	.	2	1	.	.	4	.	5	1	1
" 4	34,500	19·6	1·5	13	3	.	1	.	3	1	5	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	2	1	2	1	1	.	.	.	5	.	4	4	.
NEW KILMAINHAM	10,900	14·4	9·6	3	2	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.
Urban Districts. RATHMINES AND RATHGAR	41,500	18·8	.	15	2	.	.	1	.	3	3	6	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	1	3	.	.	3	6	4	2	.	.
PEMBROKE	31,100	16·8	.	10	3	.	.	.	1	.	2	4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	3	.	.	.	5	.	5	.	.
BLACKROCK	9,900	5·3	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
DÚN LAOGHAIRE	17,500	11·9	.	4	.	.	.	.	.	1	2	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	.	.
Total City of Dublin	327,000	17·2	1·4	108	26	2	4	3	6	10	34	23	.	.	.	.	.	3	2	.	2	12	2	10	13	14	4	.	4	42	5	27	17	2
Total Urban Districts	100,000	15·6	.	30	5	.	.	1	1	4	8	11	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	3	1	2	2	6	.	.	3	13	4	7	.	.
Total Dublin Registration Area ..	427,000	16·9	1·1	138	31	2	4	4	7	14	42	34	.	.	.	.	.	3	2	.	2	15	3	12	15	20	4	.	7	55	9	34	17	2
Deaths relating to residents of localities situated outside the Registration Area (not included in above)				19	1	.	.	1	4	6	5	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	3	1	2	1	.	.	.	.	12	.	17	2	.
CITY OF CORK.																																		
Cork City Districts. CORK URBAN, No. 1	13,455	11·6	.	3	.		.		1	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	2	.	
" 2	10,399	10·0	.	2	.		.		.	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	
" 3	9,793	5·3	.	1	.		.		.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	
" 4	9,139	17·1	.	3	.		.		.	.	1	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	.	
" 5	6,250	.	.	.	.		.		.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
" 6	11,581	18·0	4·5	4	.		1		1	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	3	.	2	.	
" 7	16,056	16·2	.	5	.		.		.	1	2	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	5	.	4	.	
Total City of Cork	76,673	12·2	0·7	18	.		1		2	2	6	7	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	1	1	1	1	.	.	.	.	13	.	10		.

* The populations given for the City of Cork and its component parts are those according to the Census of 1911. † See note (†) at foot of first page.

TABLE III.—Showing the NUMBER of CASES of INFECTIOUS DISEASES notified in the Dublin Registration Area (viz. :—the City of Dublin, and the Urban Districts of Rathmines and Rathgar, Pembroke, Blackrock and Dún Laoghaire), and in the Cities of Cork, Limerick, and Waterford, during the week ended 23rd December, 1922, and each of the preceding three weeks, as furnished by the respective Sanitary Authorities. A dash (—) denotes that the disease in question is not notifiable in the District.

Cities and Urban Districts.	Week ending	Enteric Fever.	Typhus.	Pyrexia—Continued Fever.	Relapsing Fever.	Small-pox.	Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Whooping-cough.	Diphtheria (including Membranous Croup).	Erysipelas.	Puerperal Fever.	Diarrhœal Diseases.	Dysentery.	Malaria.	Trench Fever.	Acute Primary Pneumonia and Acute Influenzal Pneumonia.	Cerebro-spinal Fever.	Acute Poliomyelitis.	Varicella.	Tuberculosis.	Total.
City of Dublin	Dec. 2	.	.	.	.	.	—	6	—	8	3	.	—	.	.	.	4	.	.	2	11	34
	Dec. 9	2	.	.	.	.	—	7	—	11	2	.	—	.	.	.	8	.	.	3	14	47
	Dec. 16	1	.	.	.	.	—	12	—	5	3	.	—	.	.	.	10	.	.	7	8	46
	Dec. 23	.	.	.	.	.	—	8	—	4	1	.	—	.	.	.	4	.	.	1	4	22
Rathmines & Rathgar Urban District	Dec. 2	.	.	.	.	.	—	1	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	2	.	.	—	—	3
	Dec. 9	.	.	.	.	.	—	3	—	.	1	.	—	.	.	.	1	.	.	—	—	5
	Dec. 16	.	.	.	.	.	—	6	—	3	1	1	—	.	.	.	1	.	.	—	—	12
	Dec. 23	.	.	.	.	.	—	1	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	1	.	.	—	—	2
Pembroke Urban District	Dec. 2	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	2
	Dec. 9	.	.	.	.	.	.	6	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	1	.	.	—	.	7
	Dec. 16	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	2
	Dec. 23	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	2	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	3
Blackrock Urban District	Dec. 2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.
	Dec. 9	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.
	Dec. 16	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.
	Dec. 23	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.
Dún Laoghaire Urban District	Dec. 2	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.
	Dec. 9	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.
	Dec. 16	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.
	Dec. 23	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.
City of Cork	Dec. 2	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	—	11	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	4	—	19
	Dec. 9	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	7	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	1	—	8
	Dec. 16	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	—	8	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	3	—	12
	Dec. 23	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	15	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	2	—	18
City of Limerick	Dec. 2	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	3	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	3
	Dec. 9	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	5	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	5
	Dec. 16	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	4	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	4
	Dec. 23	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	.
City of Waterford	Dec. 2	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	.	.
	Dec. 9	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	.	.
	Dec. 16	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	.	.
	Dec. 23	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	.	.

TABLE IV.—Showing the NUMBER of CASES of the undermentioned DISEASES treated in Dublin Hospitals during the week ended Saturday, 23rd December, 1922, with the number under treatment at the close of each of the last four weeks.

Diseases	No. of Cases in Hospital at close of week ended			Week ended 23rd December			
	Dec. 2	Dec. 9	Dec. 16	No. admitted.	Dis-charged	Died.	No. under treatment at close of week.
Enteric Fever, ...	20	16	14	1	1	.	14
Typhus, ...	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Small-pox, ...	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Measles, ...	.	.	3	.	2	.	1
Scarlet Fever,..	88	78	87	12	21	.	78*
Diphtheria, ...	46	41	46	7	8	1	44
Pneumonia, ...	26	22	25	.	9	.	16

* Exclusive of 14 patients in "Beneavin," the Convalescent Home of Cork Street Fever Hospital.

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IN THE

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TWELVE TOWN DISTRICTS.

The Births and Deaths * registered in the Dublin Registration Area and in eleven provincial Urban Districts of the Irish Free State, with the annual rates per 1,000 of the population represented thereby, which, for the purposes of these Returns, is estimated at 662,256, are given in Table I. The deaths from all causes appertaining to the undermentioned areas for last week and for the past four weeks, respectively, were equal to the following annual rates per 1,000 of the population:—

Twelve Town Districts, 13·9 and 15·3; Dublin Registration Area, 14·5 and 15·5; Dublin City, 15·0 and 15·2; Cork, 12·9 and 14·4; Limerick, 16·2 and 16·2; and Waterford, 15·2 and 17·1.

The deaths* from certain epidemic diseases† registered in the 12 town districts during last week were equal to an annual rate of 0·6 per 1,000. Among the 19 deaths from all causes for Cork is one from diphtheria.

DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA.

In the Dublin Registration Area the total number of births registered during the week amounted to 155—82 boys and 73 girls—and the deaths to 132—66 males and 66 females.

The deaths registered, omitting the deaths (numbering 13) of persons admitted to public institutions from localities outside the Dublin Registration Area, represent an annual rate of mortality of 14·5 per 1,000 of the population. During the fifty-two weeks ending with Saturday last, the death-rate averaged 17·0 and was 3·3 below the mean rate for the corresponding portion of the ten years, 1912-1921. The rate for all deaths registered during the fifty-two weeks was 18·5 and for the corresponding period of the preceding ten years 21·7.

Included in the 119 deaths appertaining to the Area are 2 from whooping cough, and 3 from diarrhœa and enteritis of children under 2 years. In the three preceding weeks deaths from whooping-cough were 0, one and 3; and deaths from diarrhœa and enteritis of children under 2 years 2, 3, and 4.

There were 11 deaths from pneumonia, comprising 7 from broncho-pneumonia, and 4 from pneumonia (not otherwise defined).

Tuberculous disease caused 12 deaths (including 10 from pulmonary tuberculosis, and 2 from tuberculous meningitis), as against 10, 13, and 19 from all forms of tuberculous disease in the three weeks preceding.

Seven deaths were caused by cancer, 14 by organic diseases of the heart, and 11 by bronchitis.

Two accidental deaths were registered.

Among deaths of infants under one year old, one was due to whooping cough, 4 to convulsions, 2 to bronchitis, 2 to broncho-pneumonia, one to pneumonia, 3 to diarrhœa and enteritis, 2 to premature birth, and 5 to congenital debility.

Twenty-eight of the deaths registered during the week, appertaining to the Area, were those of children under 5 years of age, 22 being infants under one year, of whom 8 were under one month old, and 39 deaths were those of persons aged 65 and upwards, of whom 32 were 70 years of age or over.

Of the 119 deaths recorded, 45 occurred in hospitals and other public institutions.

ENGLAND AND SCOTLAND.

The mortality among civilians for the week ended 30th December, in 105 large English towns (including London in which the rate was 12·0) was equal to an average annual death rate of 12·5 per 1,000 of the estimated civil population.

The average death-rate for 16 principal towns of Scotland was 14·9 per 1,000 persons living, the rate for Glasgow being 13·7 and for Edinburgh 14·8.

* Exclusive of the deaths of persons admitted into public institutions from without the respective districts.
† Enteric fever, typhus, small-pox, measles, scarlet fever, whooping-cough, diphtheria, dysentery, and diarrhœal diseases.

TABLE I.—BIRTHS and DEATHS registered during the week ended Saturday, 30th DECEMBER, 1922, in the DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA, in each of the under-mentioned 11 CITIES OR URBAN DISTRICTS, and in BELFAST and LONDONDERRY CITIES (*exclusive of Births and Deaths in Public Institutions relating to Persons admitted from other Districts*), the Number of Deaths from some of the PRINCIPAL CAUSES, and the Number of Uncertified Deaths with the Temperature and Rainfall for the week; also particulars regarding Births, Deaths and Meteorology in London, Edinburgh, and Glasgow.

TOWNS AND DISTRICTS.	POPULATION. Total (a)	Persons to an Acre.	Annual Rate per 1,000 Persons Represented by BIRTHS.	DEATHS. From all Causes.	DEATHS. From certain Epidemic Diseases. (b)	BIRTHS Total Number	DEATHS. Total Number	Under 1 year of Age.	At 65 years and upwards.	Enteric Fever.	Typhus.	Small-pox.	Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Whooping-cough.	Diphtheria.	Dysentery.	Influenza.	Tuberculosis. Pulmonary.	Tuberculosis. Other Forms.	Cancer.	Diseases of the Respiratory System. Pneumonia.	Diseases of the Respiratory System. Other.	Diarrhœa and Enteritis of children under 2 years of age.	Diarrhœa, 2 years of age and upwards.	Violence.	Inquest Cases.	No. of Deaths in Public Institutions.	Number of Uncertified Deaths.	Absolute Highest.	Absolute Lowest.	Mean Maximum (A).	Mean Minimum (B).	Mean of (A) and (B).	Rainfall in Inches.
	REGISTRATION—WEEK ENDED SATURDAY, 30th DECEMBER, 1922. NUMBERS REGISTERED. DEATHS. Caused by																													METEOROLOGY. (c) WEEK ENDED 30th DECEMBER, 1922. Air Temperature.					
COLS.	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)	(14)	(15)	(16)	(17)	(18)	(19)	(20)	(21)	(22)	(23)	(24)	(25)	(26)	(27)	(28)	(29)	(30)	(31)	(32)	(33)	(34)	(35)
TOTAL OF 12 TOWN DISTRICTS ...	662,256	18·9	16·5	13·9	0·6	209	177	30	52	.	.	.	.	.	2	1	.	.	14	5	8	14	17	4	.	5	7	60	8	.	.	.	.	.	.
DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA	427,000	30·5	17·3	14·5	0·6	142	119	22	39	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	.	10	2	7	11	11	3	.	2	1	45	2	(d)49·3	31·7	43·7	34·3	39·0	0·89
Urban Districts. CITY OF DUBLIN	327,000	40·0	20·3	15·0	0·5	127	94	18	25	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	10	2	6	9	10	2	.	2	1	37	2	(e)51·0 (f)49·8	34·4 34·0	44·9 45·0	36·8 36·2	40·9 40·6	0·72 0·80
Urban Districts. RATHMINES and RATHGAR ...	41,500	24·2	3·8	7·5	.	3	6	.	4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Urban Districts. PEMBROKE ...	31,100	19·8	15·1	11·7	1·7	9	7	1	5	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	1	.	.	.	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Urban Districts. BLACKROCK ...	9,900	9·1	.	21·1	5·3	.	4	1	2	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Urban Districts. DÚN LAOGHAIRE	17,500	12·0	8·9	23·8	.	3	8	2	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	4	.	48	34	45·5	37·1	41·3	0·36
Urban Districts. CORK	76,673	28·6	18·4	12·9	0·7	27	19	4	6	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	2	.	.	.	2	.	.	3	3	6	1	.	.	.	.	.	.
Urban Districts. LIMERICK ...	38,518	16·1	17·6	16·2	.	13	12	2	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	3	.	.	.	2	3	1	.	.	.	.	.	.
Urban Districts. WATERFORD ...	27,464	19·1	1·9	15·2	.	1	8	1	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.
Urban Districts. GALWAY	13,255	2·5	The annual rates represented by the numbers of births and deaths registered for these urban districts will be shown in the Quarterly Summary of the Weekly Returns.			4	3	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	50	33	47	34	40·5	2·29
Urban Districts. DUNDALK ...	13,128	9·5				2	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.
Urban Districts. DROGHEDA ...	12,501	8·4				2	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Urban Districts. WEXFORD ...	11,531	22·8				5	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Urban Districts. SLIGO	11,163	2·8				2	6	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	4	1	48	32	44	35	39·5	1·45
Urban Districts. KILKENNY ...	10,514	11·4				.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	49	30	48·0	32·1	40·0	1·25
Urban Districts. TRALEE ...	10,300	17·4				6	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Urban Districts. CLONMEL	10,209	4·8				5	4	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.
BELFAST CITY	425,000	24·3	19·6	13·3	0·6	159	108	23	29	.	.	.	.	1	1	1	.	.	10	3	2	17	15	2	.	.	2	25	3	49·0	30·0	45·6	35·2	40·4	0·58
LONDONDERRY CITY ...	46,000	36·3	19·3	7·9	.	17	7	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
LONDON	4,514,405	—	—	12·0	—	1,515	1,035	123	412	2	.	.	1	7	4	16	—	—	82	15	104	115	126	13	1	35	86	486	1	50	32	46·9	36·0	41·5	0·84
EDINBURGH	420,500	—	—	14·8	1·6	183	119g	11	45	.	.	.	3	3	5	1	—	1	—	—	—	21		1	—	3	—	—	—	48·0	32·0	42·1	35·0	38·6	1·78
GLASGOW	1,037,800	—	—	13·7	0·3	519	272g	62	58	.	.	.	.	.	3	2	—	3	—	—	—	66		1	—	13	—	—	—	48·0	33·0	44·3	35·7	40·0	1·88

(a) According to the Census of 1911, but in the cases of the Dublin Registration Area and its component parts, and Belfast and Londonderry, the population given is that estimated to the middle of 1922. The estimate shown for London relates to the civil population in 1921. The population given for Glasgow and Edinburgh is that estimated to the middle of 1922. (b) See note (†) at foot of first page. (c) The observations shown for Cork were taken at Roche's Point, and those for Sligo at Markree. (d) Observations at Ordnance Survey Office, Phœnix Park. (e) Observations by Sir John Moore, taken at Fitzwilliam Square. (f) Observations taken at the Botanic Gardens, Glasnevin. (g) Including 2 deaths from cerebro-spinal meningitis for Glasgow and one for Edinburgh.

TABLE II.—Showing for the WEEK ENDED 30TH DECEMBER, 1922, the number of DEATHS of Residents of the several REGISTRARS' DISTRICTS in the DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA, and in the CITY OF CORK, the annual Rate per 1,000 of the Population of the respective Districts represented thereby, and by the Deaths from the principal Epidemic Diseases†; with the mortality from some of the principal causes; also the Deaths at certain age-periods, and the number of Uncertified Deaths, *the Deaths in Public Institutions being assigned to the Districts from which the deceased were admitted.*

WEEK ENDED SATURDAY, 30TH DECEMBER, 1922.

REGISTRARS' DISTRICTS, &c.	Estimated Population middle of 1922.*	Annual Rate of Mortality per 1,000 Living represented by Deaths. From all causes	From certain Epidemic Diseases†	Total Deaths.	Under 1 year.	1 and under 2.	2 and under 5.	5 and under 15.	15 and under 25.	25 and under 45.	45 and under 65.	65 and upwards.	Enteric Fever.	Typhus.	Small-pox.	Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Whooping-cough.	Diphtheria.	Dysentery.	Influenza.	Tuberculosis. Pulmonary.	Tuberculosis. Other Forms.	Cancer.	Diseases of Respiratory System. Pneumonia.	Diseases of Respiratory System. Other.	Diarrhœa and Enteritis of Children under 2 years.	Diarrhœa, 2 years and upwards.	Violence.	Other Causes.	Inquest Cases.	In Institutions. In Hospitals, Prisons and Lunatic Asylums.	In Institutions. In Workhouse Hospitals.	Number of Uncertified Deaths.
Cols.	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)	(14)	(15)	(16)	(17)	(18)	(19)	(20)	(21)	(22)	(23)	(24)	(25)	(26)	(27)	(28)	(29)	(30)	(31)	(32)	(33)	34)
DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA.																																		
Dublin City Districts. North City, No. 1, E.	31,600	23·1	1·7	14	4	1	.	.	.	2	5	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	1	.	1	.	1	9	1	1	2	1
" 1, W.	43,300	14·5	.	12	3	.	.	.	1	2	6	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	1	1	2	.	.	.	6	.	2	1	.
" 2	29,000	10·8	.	6	.	.	.	.	.	.	5	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	5	.	3	2	.
" 3	35,900	14·5	.	10	.	.	.	.	.	2	3	5	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	1	3	.	.	.	4	.	3	2	.
CLONTARF AND HOWTH, No. 1, part of	5,800	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
COOLOCK AND DRUMCONDRA, part of	14,300	10·9	3·6	3	1	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	1	.	.	1	.
FINGLAS AND GLASNEVIN, part of	11,700	4·5	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.
SOUTH CITY, No. 1	45,300	13·8	.	12	2	.	.	.	.	1	3	6	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	1	1	.	.	.	8	.	2	1	.
" 2	19,100	10·9	.	4	.	.	.	.	1	1	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	3	.	2	.	.
" 3	45,600	17·2	.	15	3	.	1	1	2	1	2	5	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	2	3	1	.	.	.	7	.	5	2	.
" 4	34,500	19·6	1·5	13	2	1	1	.	.	3	2	4	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	2	2	1	.	.	.	7	.	5	.	1
NEW KILMAINHAM	10,900	19·1	.	4	2	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	2	.	.	.	1	.	2	1	.
Urban Districts. RATHMINES AND RATHGAR	41,500	7·5	.	6	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	6	.	.	.	.
PEMBROKE	31,100	11·7	1·7	7	1	.	.	.	.	.	1	5	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	1	.	.	4	.	2	1	.
BLACKROCK	9,900	21·1	5·3	4	1	.	.	.	.	.	1	2	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	1	.
DÚN LAOGHAIRE	17,500	23·8	.	8	2	1	1	1	.	.	.	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	7	.	1	3	.
Total City of Dublin	327,000	15·0	0·5	94	18	2	2	2	4	14	27	25	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	10	2	6	9	10	2	.	2	52	1	25	12	2
Total Urban Districts	100,000	13·0	1·0	25	4	1	1	1	.	2	2	14	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	1	2	1	1	.	.	19	.	3	5	.
Total Dublin Registration Area	427,000	14·5	0·6	119	22	3	3	3	4	16	29	39	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	.	10	2	7	11	11	3	.	2	71	1	28	17	2
Deaths relating to residents of localities situated outside the Registration Area (not included in above)				13	2	.	.	1	1	4	1	4	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	3	.	1	.	.	.	8	.	13	.	.
CITY OF CORK.																																		
Cork City Districts. CORK URBAN, No. 1	13,455	19·4	3·9	5	.	1		1		1	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	2		1
" 2	10,399	5·0	.	1	.	.		.		.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.		.
" 3	9,793	26·6	.	5	3	.		1		1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	1	2	1	2		.
" 4	9,139	5·7	.	1	.	.		.		.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.		.
" 5	6,250	16·7	.	2	1	.		.		.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	1	.		.
" 6	11,581	4·5	.	1	.	.		.		.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.		.
" 7	16,056	13·0	.	4	.	.		.		.	2	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	3	1	2		.
Total City of Cork	76,673	12·9	0·7	19	4	1		2		2	4	6	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	2	.	.	.	2	.	.	3	11	3	6		1

* The populations given for the City of Cork and its component parts are those according to the Census of 1911.

† See note (†) at foot of first page.

TABLE III.—Showing the NUMBER of CASES of INFECTIOUS DISEASES notified in the Dublin Registration Area (viz. :—the City of Dublin, and the Urban Districts of Rathmines and Rathgar, Pembroke, Blackrock and Dún Laoghaire), and in the Cities of Cork, Limerick, and Waterford, during the week ended 30th December, 1922, and each of the preceding three weeks, as furnished by the respective Sanitary Authorities. A dash (—) denotes that the disease in question is not notifiable in the District.

Cities and Urban Districts.	Week ending	Enteric Fever.	Typhus.	Pyrexia—Continued Fever.	Relapsing Fever.	Small-pox.	Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Whooping-cough.	Diphtheria (including Membranous Croup).	Erysipelas.	Puerperal Fever.	Diarrhœal Diseases.	Dysentery.	Malaria	Trench Fever.	Acute Primary Pneumonia and Acute Influenzal Pneumonia	Cerebro-spinal Fever	Acute Poliomyelitis.	Varicella	Tuberculosis.	Total.
City of Dublin	Dec. 9	2	.	.	.	.	—	7	—	11	2	.	—	.	.	.	8	.	.	3	14	47
	Dec. 16	1	.	.	.	.	—	12	—	5	3	.	—	.	.	.	10	.	.	7	8	46
	Dec. 23	.	.	.	.	.	—	8	—	4	1	.	—	.	.	.	4	.	.	1	4	22
	Dec. 30	1	.	.	.	.	—	12	—	3	2	.	—	.	.	.	3	.	.	1	.	22
Rathmines & Rathgar Urban District	Dec. 9	.	.	.	.	.	—	3	—	.	1	.	—	.	.	.	1	.	.	—	—	5
	Dec. 16	.	.	.	.	.	—	6	—	3	1	1	—	.	.	.	1	.	.	—	—	12
	Dec. 23	.	.	.	.	.	—	1	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	1	.	.	—	—	2
	Dec. 30	.	.	.	.	.	—	2	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	2
Pembroke Urban District	Dec. 9	.	.	.	.	.	.	6	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	1	.	.	—	.	7
	Dec. 16	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	2
	Dec. 23	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	2	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	3
	Dec. 30	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	1	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	3
Blackrock Urban District	Dec. 9	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.
	Dec. 16	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.
	Dec. 23	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.
	Dec. 30	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.
Dún Laoghaire Urban District	Dec. 9	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.
	Dec. 16	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.
	Dec. 23	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.
	Dec. 30	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.
City of Cork	Dec. 9	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	7	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	1	—	8
	Dec. 16	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	—	8	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	3	—	12
	Dec. 23	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	15	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	2	—	18
	Dec. 30	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	14	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	—	14
City of Limerick	Dec. 9	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	5	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	5
	Dec. 16	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	4	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	4
	Dec. 23	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	.
	Dec. 30	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	4	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	4
City of Waterford	Dec. 9	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	.	.
	Dec. 16	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	.	.
	Dec. 23	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	.	.
	Dec. 30	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	.	.

TABLE IV.—Showing the NUMBER of CASES of the undermentioned DISEASES treated in Dublin Hospitals during the week ended Saturday, 30th December, 1922, with the number under treatment at the close of each of the last four weeks.

Diseases	No. of Cases in Hospital at close of week ended			Week ended 30th December			
	Dec. 9	Dec. 16	Dec. 23	No. admitted.	Dis-charged	Died.	No. under treatment at close of week.
Enteric Fever, ...	16	14	14	1	.	.	15
Typhus, ...	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Small-pox, ...	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Measles, ...	.	3	1	2	1	.	2
Scarlet Fever, ...	78	87	78	14	12	1	79*
Diphtheria, ...	41	46	44	8	5	1	46
Pneumonia, ...	22	25	16	5	4	1	16

* Exclusive of 17 patients in "Beneavin," the Convalescent Home of Cork Street Fever Hospital.

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